

# McCreery and Company

## Ninth Anniversary Sales

September 15th-20th, Inclusive---A Once-a-Year Opportunity

All merchandise of the customary year-round McCreery quality. The manufacturers gave us reduced prices for Anniversary "specials"; the cost of selling is lower on such a large business as we will do; we reduce prices on our own account to help make the Anniversary a popular and successful event---a three-fold price concession to you.

Make your plans to be here every day. Sales in different departments start on successive days, beginning Monday. All prices are in effect for the remainder of the week after the day for which announced. No goods sent on approval or C. O. D., or received for credit. Carriage prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River.

Complete your Fall and Winter shopping during these Sales, when prices are lower than at any time before or after.

### ry Silks

Sale Begins Monday.  
Silks.  
Light, medium  
dark shades,  
pink, rose, silk  
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### Black Dress Goods

Sale Begins Monday.  
Imported Black Broad-  
cloths  
In two grades, deep  
raven black, soft and  
lustrous; sponged and  
shrunken. 54 inches wide.  
\$3.00 Black Broad-  
cloth, per yard \$1.95  
\$4.00 Black Broad-  
cloth, per yard \$2.95

Bedding  
Sale Begins Monday.  
\$10.00 White Wool  
Blankets with pink, blue  
or yellow borders; also  
all white corded silk  
binding. 72x84 inches.  
Per pair \$7.50  
Bleached Irish Double  
Satin Damask Cloths,  
Heavy Weight in Cir-  
cular Designs for  
Round Tables---Can  
Be Scalloped or  
Hemmed  
\$4.25 Cloth (2x2) \$3.25  
\$5.50 Cloth (2x2 1/2) \$4.10  
\$6.50 Cloth (2x3) \$4.90  
\$5.75 Cloth (2 1/2 x 2 1/2) \$4.35  
\$5.75 Napkins to match.  
(24x24 inches, per  
dozen \$4.50)  
\$3.50 Irish Hand Em-  
broided Pillow Cases  
of Irish Linen with hem-  
stitched or scalloped  
ends with hand em-  
broided wreath or  
straight designs---22 1/2  
x36, per pair \$2.75

Women's Suits  
Sale Begins Tuesday.  
\$40.00 Suits of im-  
ported fabrics in black,  
navy, mahogany, taupe,  
Brazil nut and prune  
with all the new fancy  
touches.  
Six models \$29.75  
Women's Coats and  
Wraps  
\$50.00 Coats of cut  
wool velour, wool bengal-  
ine with fancy trim-  
ming and beautifully  
lined with Peau de  
Cygne. Dressy models  
---exact reproductions of  
Parisian styles \$34.75

Waists  
Sale Begins Tuesday.  
\$3.00 Waists of fine  
voile trimmed with em-  
brodery and Valenci-  
ennes lace or embroidery  
and Venise lace---open  
front---\$2.00  
\$5.00 Waists of fine  
voile trimmed with  
hand-embroidery and  
Venise lace---high or  
low neck models \$2.75

### Misses' Coats

Sale Begins Tuesday.  
\$35.00 Three-quarter  
Length Coats of cheviot  
in navy, black and taupe  
with yoke effect, lined  
with self or contrasting  
colored Peau de Cygne.  
(Sizes 14, 16 and  
18 years) \$24.50  
\$12.50 Cheviot Coats  
in navy, brown and  
brown and red---belted  
models. (Sizes 8 to  
14 years) \$7.95  
\$15.00 Cheviot Coats  
in navy, brown and  
Copenhagen with storm  
collar. (Sizes 8 to  
14 years) \$10.50  
Shower Paradise in  
Natural and Black.  
Paradise \$6.45  
Paradise \$14.50  
Side Spray in Natural  
and Black.  
\$10.00 \$6.45  
Spray \$22.50  
Spray \$14.50

Silk Petticoats  
Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Silk Jersey Petticoats  
in street and evening  
shades embroidered in  
self colors and finished  
with foot pleatings---  
new semi-tube skirt;  
also Crepe de Chine Pet-  
ticoats with hemstitched  
pleatings and ribbon  
trimmings \$5.95  
Semi X size Petticoats  
of Silk Jersey or Messa-  
line in black and all the  
new colorings \$5.00  
Crepe de Chine Prin-  
cess Skirts in white, pink,  
or light blue with dot  
skirts and lace trimmed  
neck and sleeves \$3.50

Boys' Clothing  
Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Boys' Black Rubber  
Coats of pure rubber  
with heavy canvas back  
and vulcanized seams.  
Sizes 4 to 16  
years \$2.75  
\$10.00 and \$12.50  
Russian and School  
Overcoats of the finest  
all wool overcoatings in  
plain colors and fancy  
mixtures. Sizes 2 1/2 to  
17 years \$3.75

Boys' Furnishings  
Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Boys' 85c and \$1.00  
Soft Blouses of fancy  
and plain colored per-  
cale and Madras with  
attached collar 79c  
Boys' 55c Four-in-  
Hand Scarfs in plain  
and fancy patterns 24c

### Women's Negligee Wear

Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Florentine Silk House  
Gown with satin stripe  
---accordion pleated  
skirt and  
fancy blouse... \$5.95  
Charmeuse House  
Gown, straight model  
with hand-embroidered  
collar \$7.95

### Furs

Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Black Fox Sets---rich  
glossy skins, carefully  
selected and perfectly  
matched, head and tail  
trimmed---beautifully  
lined with Peau de  
Cygne.  
\$55.00 Pillow Muff  
and Snake Scarf.  
Pointed \$40.00  
Fox \$40.00  
\$40.00 Pillow Muff  
and Snake Scarf \$28.00

### Frenchy Undermuslins

Sale Begins Tuesday.  
Princess Slips of fine  
mainsook with scalloped  
edges, flower and spray  
designs and ribbon draw  
85c and \$1.65  
Corset Covers of fine  
mainsook with scalloped  
edges, flower and spray  
designs and rib-  
bon draw 50c

### Curtains and Draperies

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
\$5.50 Scrim Curtains  
in white and Arab colors  
with eyelet and filet lace  
motif forming insertion  
outlined with insertion  
and lace edge---still  
length, per  
pair \$3.50

### Furniture

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
French Willow Chairs  
and Rockers  
\$4.50 Arm \$3.75  
\$5.25 Arm \$4.25  
\$28.00 Imported Reed  
Writing Desk and Chair  
complete in white, ivory,  
brown, grey and green,  
suitable for the living  
room, library, sun parlor  
and bed room, per set \$17.50

### Electric Lamps

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
\$9.50 Electric  
Table Lamp \$6.00  
During this sale the  
entire stock of lamps to  
which will be added sev-  
eral new purchases in-  
cluding leaded art glass  
and cast lamps will be  
offered at from 10% to  
50% reduction.

### Cut Glass

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
\$3.50 Cut Glass Sugar  
and Cream \$2.50  
Sets  
\$1.00 Cut Glass Mayon-  
naise Sets including  
bowl and  
plate... \$2.65

### Casseroles

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
\$3.00 Nickel Plated  
Casseroles with woven  
effect design fitted with  
pottery  
lining... \$1.65

### Silverware

Sale Begins Wednesday.  
\$12.00 Covered Vege-  
table Dishes of Sheffield  
Silverware plated on  
nickel with  
plain edge... \$7.50  
\$4.50 Baking Dish of  
quadruple plated Silver-  
ware with engraved  
grape  
cover... \$3.50  
\$6.00 3-Piece Toilet  
Sets in assorted patterns  
including comb, brush  
and mirror... \$3.95

### Suit Cases

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$10.00 and \$10.50  
Suit Cases of genuine  
selected cowhide with  
sewn corners, ring han-  
dle and linen lined,  
bound shirt pocket---  
sizes 24 and  
26 inches... \$7.50

### Men's Haberdashery

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$2.00 Imported Bal-  
briggan Shirts and  
Drawers of me-  
dium weight... \$1.45  
\$1.50 Union Suits of  
medium weight balbrig-  
gan---regular and  
stout  
lengths... \$1.10  
\$3.50 Union Suits of  
light weight  
natural wool... \$1.95  
\$2.50 Silk Half Hose  
in black or plain colors,  
per  
pair... \$1.65  
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Im-  
ported French Lisle  
Thread Half Hose in  
black or fancy colors,  
per  
pair... \$1.15  
\$4.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00  
Imported French Silk  
Half Hose,  
per pair... \$3.65  
\$12.00 Bath Robes of  
plain colored terry cloth  
with silk bind-  
ing to match... \$8.85  
\$1.25 Terry Cloth Bath  
Slippers to  
match gowns... 85c  
\$3.50 Blanket  
Robes... \$2.55  
\$5.00 Blanket  
Robes... \$3.65

### Laces and Embroideries

Sale Begins Thursday.  
65c to 85c 27-inch  
Ruffled Flouncings at-  
tractively embroidered  
in neat designs; appro-  
priate for infants' dresses, per  
yard... 45c  
\$17.50 to \$45.00 Im-  
ported Net and Chiffon  
Tunics embroidered in  
silk or beaded effects in  
white, black or colors  
\$7.75 to \$15.00

### Women's Gloves

Women's \$4.00 20-  
button Length Lace  
Gloves in white with  
three pearl clasps at  
wrist. Per  
pair... \$3.00

### Fancy Goods

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$3.50 Black Strap  
Back Purse of long grain  
Morocco with silk moire  
lining and gilt clasp---8  
inches long, 3 1/2  
inches deep... \$2.25

### Jewelry

\$2.00 Long Chains of  
German Silver with sol-  
dered links, set with to-  
paz, amethyst, sapphire,  
turmaline and  
emerald... \$1.00  
\$1.50 to \$2.00 Neck-  
lace of real  
Italian Cut Jet... \$1.00  
\$1.00 Necklace of  
German Silver with  
rhinestone and  
pearl pendants... 50c

### Women's and Children's Hosiery

Sale Begins Thursday.  
Women's 35c Lisle  
Hose in black, white or  
tan; good weight, 28c  
per pair... 28c  
Children's \$1.00 and  
\$1.50 plain Silk Hose in  
black and colors with all  
the necessary reinforce-  
ments, per  
pair... 65c

### Neckwear

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$2.00 and \$3.75 Real  
Baby Irish Lace Collars,  
very effective for yokes  
and children's dresses  
\$1.35 and \$2.00  
\$10.50 Irish Lace Col-  
lars in round  
shapes... \$6.95  
\$6.50 Baby Irish Lace  
Collars in the popular  
epaulette  
shape... \$4.25  
\$2.00 Irish Lace Stock  
Collars in pret-  
ty designs... \$1.35  
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Fich-  
us of net combined with  
shadow lace, some with  
sprays of hand  
embroidery... 75c

### Women's Shoes

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$5.00 Shoes of patent  
leather with grey tops,  
dull leather with grey  
cloth tops and dull kid  
with black cloth tops;  
welted soles. Cuban  
heels, button models.  
Per  
pair... \$3.85

### Feather Neckwear

Sale Begins Thursday.  
\$4.75 and \$6.25 Mara-  
bout Collarette in black,  
natural, black and white,  
natural and white, mole  
and white trimmed with  
ribbon bows  
\$3.50 and \$4.75

\$8.00 Scarfs of Ostrich  
and Marabout in black  
and white, and natural  
and white trimmed with  
ribbon and  
tassel ends... \$5.75  
\$16.50 Sets of Mara-  
bout and Ostrich com-  
bined in nat-  
ural and black \$12.50  
\$22.50 Marabout Sets  
in mole and white, nat-  
ural and white, black  
and white, and taupe... \$16.50

### Ribbons

Sale Begins Thursday.  
60c Moire Antique  
Silk Ribbons in white,  
black, delft, Empire,  
scarlet, rose, old rose,  
blue, navy and brown,  
6 1/2 inches wide,  
per yard... 39c

25c Taffeta Ribbon  
with moire edge in all  
colors, 5 and 5 1/2 inches  
wide, Per  
yard... 18c

50c Satin Taffeta Rib-  
bon in all colors, 5 1/2  
and 6 inches wide,  
Per  
yard... 28c

### Toilet Articles

Sale Begins Thursday  
"Pearson's" \$1.50  
Rubber Cushioned Hair  
Brush with double pig  
bristles---made  
in England... \$1.00  
75c and \$1.25 Hand  
Mirrors with solid wood  
backs of ebony  
and rosewood... 45c  
\$5.25 English Ivory  
Toilet Set consisting of  
hair brush, mir-  
ror and comb... \$3.25  
\$1.75 Hot Water Bot-  
tle of excellent quality  
rubber---guaranteed 2  
quart  
size... 95c  
75c race Bottle of  
same quality as above---  
1 pint  
size... 45c  
35c, 45c and 50c  
Whisk Brooms with cel-  
luloid handles and good  
quality  
broom... 29c

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## SIX ON REPUBLICAN BALLOT FOR COUNCIL

**Specimen Sheets Show  
Where Fight Will be  
Centered**

### THREE ON FOR BURGESS

**Advantage of Position Goes  
to Frye-County Candidates  
Are Named**

On the Republican ballot to be voted upon next Tuesday will appear three names for burgess, four for tax collector, three for school director and six for council. There are the important borough offices to be filled. Only one name will appear for assessor. In the county offices for county controller will appear the one name, T. J. Underwood and J. C. Sutherland will be the only name to appear for the nomination for recorder of deeds. For director of the poor there will be two contestants, R. C. Buchanan of Washington and George E. Adams, of Washington. J. Warren Vankirk of South Franklin will be the only candidate for jury commissioner, there being but one to vote upon and Joseph A. Herron of Monongahela will be the only candidate for member of the state committee, with only one to vote upon.

So far as the placing of names is concerned in the fight for burgess Charles O. Frye will have a decided advantage, coming first. The movement to have his name on the ticket was a movement of his friends and he is not even doing any personal work. Capt. John K. Hein, ex-president of council comes second and R. J. Whitehead, who is sure of a large vote whether he gets the nomination or not, comes third. I. R. Llythe comes first in the list for tax collector, Fred W. Brady second, Taylor Foreman third and John W. Mathias fourth. For school director, H. J. Booth is first, J. M. Hill and Lee Showers third.

W. H. Calvert secures the advantage of position in the council contest with D. R. Hyrmell second. Rodrick S. Moody is third, F. P. McCloskey, follows him, with Charles S. VanVoorhis and Charles W. Welner completing the list.

The Republicans have failed to get any names on the ticket for auditor, so candidates for this place will have to be voted for by the "sticker" system.

## SOMETHING TO BE REMEMBERED

Rod S. Moody is a Republican candidate for Council. He is not following the lead of some of the other aspirants of the same party in making an open political fight for the nomination and I feel that his qualifications are such that he should be brought to the attention of the Republican voters.

He is an electrician by trade and has had special experience in electric lighting. He has had considerable experience in civil engineering, paving work, sewer work, and building in general and his knowledge along these lines is such that he would be of valuable assistance in borough work.

He is a property owner having re-

## Reception Tendered

**Forty-Seventh Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Paxton Remembered**

Samuel B. Paxton, of California, who is now connected with the State department at Harrisburg, and Mrs. Paxton were tendered a reception at the Paxton home in California by their children and grand children on Friday night. The affair was in honor of their 47th wedding anniversary. Twenty-seven were present at the affair. The couple was presented with a fine reading lamp.

Those from Charleroi who were present at the affair were: J. D. Barryman and family, W. H. Atkins and family and Carl Paxton and family.

## TO BOOST BOND PLAN FOR ROADS

**Members of Automobile**

**Clubs to Visit Harrisburg**

**CONCERNS BIG ISSUE**

To boost the \$50,000,000 good roads amendment is the object of a gathering of good roads advocates who will assemble in Harrisburg next Thursday. The Belle Vernon Automobile club is making extensive arrangements to attend the convention and it is understood that a number of Charleroi enthusiasts will also make the trip as well as a representation from the other towns in the valley. All will display pennants on their machines to designate their home community.

The object of the trip is to join with the good roads boosters from all over the state in the hope of as far as possible separating the amendments from politics. It will be voted upon at the November election and the boosters want to get it as far from a political issue as possible.

The greatest opposition to the amendment is coming from the farmers of the state and the fact that they will be greatly benefited from the construction of this net work of model roads makes their position one hard to understand.

He is what is generally called a "clean cut" man and I am sure is just the kind of a councilman the citizens want.

53-11 A Friend of Rod S. Moody.

## ITALY SUBJECT OF STUDY THIS YEAR BY ATHENE CLUB

**Charleroi Organization Issues Program Booklet for Season-First Meeting to be Held on October 3**

"Italy" is the subject that will be taken up for study during the club year of 1913-1914 by the Athene club of Charleroi. The handsome year book has just been completed and issued and the members are arranging for the first meeting, which will be held on Friday October 3, with Mrs. A. R. Mountsier. The club year extends from that date to April 24, when the club will be the guests of Mrs. T. M. Faddis for the final meeting.

The program committee consisting of Mrs. A. R. Mountsier, Mrs. E. C. Niver and Mrs. A. O. Davis, has put forth an extra effort in compiling the year's program and a review of it shows that every salient feature of the Sunny Island has been given notice in keeping with its prominence in the Italian affairs. Sicily is the subject of a meeting as are also Naples, Pompeii, Rome and Ancient Rome. The church is handled as is also the life of the people, their social welfare and other interesting Italian conditions.

The annual reciprocity meeting will be held on December 12 and on February 13 a sealed program will be carried out.

The program in its entirety is most interesting and on the page devoted

to each meeting is an appropriate thought from a celebrated writer. The book is printed on handsome deckle-edge paper and encased in a cover of brown linen embossed with the club emblem in gold. It is a product of the Mail office.

The Athene club is one of the important women's organizations of the Pittsburgh district and its object is the study of art, literature and science. Its membership is limited to thirty and meetings are held on alternate Fridays throughout the club year.

The officers of the Athene club are: President, Mrs. Thomas G. Brown; first vice president, Mrs. Edward C. Niver; second vice president, Mrs. T. M. Faddis; recording secretary, Mrs. E. E. Piper; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George W. Cooper and treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Mountsier.

The committees for the year are: Program, Mrs. A. R. Mountsier, Mrs. E. C. Niver, Mrs. A. O. Davis; reciprocity, Mrs. L. W. Shey, Mrs. J. W. Gordon, Mrs. R. C. Mountsier; music, Mrs. George Cooper, Mrs. E. E. Piper, Mrs. J. Olive Enos; social, Mrs. Edwin McKay, Mrs. T. M. Faddis, Mrs. V. P. Stewart, Mrs. F. P. McCloskey, Miss Elizabeth Hastings.

## THOMAS IS LODGED IN JAIL; PROTESTS HE IS NOT SLAYER

**Young Farm Hand Will Face Accusation of Murder of Mrs. Price at Hearing to be Given First of the Week**

The heavy doors of the Greene county jail have closed behind Walter Thomas the young man who is accused of the murder of Mrs. Josephine Price and the injuring of her twelve year old granddaughter, Bertha Fox at Rices Landing on the morning of September 2. The prisoner claims that he is innocent of the crime, but his fate now rests with the court and his jury.

Thomas who was captured Thursday evening on the road between Wheeling and Washington by the dead woman's husband and son, was lodged in the Washington county jail over night and Friday morning was taken to Waynesburg. As soon as the news of his coming reached the Greene county capital a crowd started to gather and when the automobile with the prisoner and his two captors arrived a crowd of several hundred people were waiting for them. The crowd was orderly and no demonstration of any kind was made. He was

taken before District Attorney Huss, where he told his story of the crime.

The prisoner stated that he was forced to leave the house several times during the night, owing to illness and when he left the last time it was two o'clock. He stated that he had to go into Mrs. Price's room to get the lantern and when he returned to the house at four o'clock he went to the room to return the lantern and found the woman and her granddaughter covered with blood. This so frightened him, he said, that he dashed to the barn secured a horse and left, fearing that he would be accused of the crime. The story of his whereabouts and actions from that time are now well known.

After turning their prisoner over to the county officials the Prices left at once for their home at Rices Landing satisfied that the law would take its course and that justice would be done.

Announcement	Vogel's Band Here
Baldt and Hiliare will open their new millinery store at 317 Fifth street on September 20. Souvenirs will be given. 43-10	John A. Vogel's minstrel band came to town this morning and rendered some first class music. The Vogel show appears at Monessen this evening. It was in Monongahela last night.
Attend our opening Wednesday and Thursday and see what is smart in millinery—Spidell's. 53-15	The fall fads and fancies, Stewart's millinery opening today. 417 Fallowfield avenue. 52-12
Miss Elizabeth Bell has gone to Uniontown to visit friends.	

## BELL TELEPHONE MEN START WORK ON CABLE

**Car Service  
Seems Sure**

**Bentleyville Line Being Put  
Through by the Westside  
Company**

That street car service between Charleroi and the prosperous Pigeon Creek valley is to be a realization at the earliest possible date, is evidenced by the activity the West Side Street Railway company is putting forth on the work at the present time. Already three miles of track is constructed and in use and four additional miles have been graded and are ready for the tracking. It is estimated that a year will be required to complete the work.

The establishing of this line means much to Charleroi, it will also give access to Monessen and Velie Vernon.

## TO STOP THEATRE CROWDING

**State Department Asks  
the Assistance of  
Managers**

**STATEMENT GIVEN OUT**

John Price Jackson, commissioner of the state department of labor and commerce has appointed a board to formulate a set of regulations tending to safeguard the patrons of theatres and other places of amusement. The most important rule will be one prohibiting the crowding of aisles and exits.

The department in a statement says:

"Pending the report of this board, the commissioner desires to warn all owners and lessees of places of amusement of the danger of permitting congestion in aisles and exits, to refuse admission after seats are filled, and to permit no patrons to stand during any performance who in the least block aisles or entrances. By voluntarily co-operating with the department in this manner the danger of a serious panic will be averted. "The law in case of accident by fire holds owners directly responsible for death or injury."

**GOVERNOR COMING HOME  
TO VOTE NEXT TUESDAY**

As is his usual custom Governor John K. Tener will return to Charleroi to vote at the primary election on Tuesday. He spent Friday clearing up important matters at the capitol and left this morning for home. He will likely stop in Pittsburgh over Sunday.

Attend our opening Stewart's millinery today, 417 Fallowfield. 52-12

**Preliminaries Toward  
Improving Service Under  
Way**

### FIRST WIRES STRUNG

**Cable to be Completed to  
Monongahela by First of  
December**

Workmen of the Bell Telephone company are engaged in constructing a messenger cable line between Charleroi and Monongahela, which, it is understood, is the first step in what is expected to be the inauguration of better service for this immediate community. Technically speaking the cable being strung is a messenger cable but speaking for the enlightenment of the public it is the line which will support a toll cable which will contain many additional wires. The toll cable is attached to the messenger cable and it is expected to relieve the present congested condition.

The workmen under Foreman Jas. Gallagher are making good progress with their work and will have the messenger line constructed in a short time. Then will come the work of stringing the heavy trunk cable.

As was stated at a meeting of the Charleroi Business Men's association some time ago the construction of this line the company predicts will materially benefit local subscribers. Where at present the lines between these two important points are open and exposed to all weather conditions etc., the new line will be enclosed in the heavy cable. This will be equipped with the famous Pupin loading coils and will be the last thing in modern telephone construction. Superintendent Burwell of the Central District Telephone company stated to a representative of the Mail that the company hopes to have this work completed by December 1. In the meantime no delay will be experienced in changing the system. The new line will not be opened until it is entirely completed and the old system will not be cut off in any respect until the new one is completed. The general public anxiously awaits the installation of this new service which spells local relief.

## VISITS FORMER HOME FOR FIRST TIME IN YEARS

After an absence of 72 years, Isaac Yunkers of Trumbull county Ohio, returned this week for a visit at the scene of his boyhood days, in Bentleyville. When he left the Pigeon Creek valley, Bentleyville was a hamlet of a half dozen houses located on either side of the old Pittsburgh and Morgantown pike and when he returned it was necessary to point out to him the town of his birth. Hardly anything remains of what was Bentleyville three score and twelve years ago and Mr. Yunkers was the veritable stranger in a strange land.

The season's choicest creations, Stewart's millinery opening today. 52-12

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To those selecting a Silver Service distinctively out of the ordinary that is rich in appearance, superb in design and entirely different to the common and trite, this establishment offers a display of Gold and Plated Ware that represents the highest achievements in the silversmith's art shown here will prove a revelation to those with exacting discriminating tastes. Reasonable prices.

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## TELEPHONES

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DISPLAY—Fifteen cents per inch,  
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ditional insertion.

## LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might ..... Charleroi  
E. F. Hixenbaugh ..... Belle Vernon

Eminent lawyers have gathered in  
Canada of late and gavelly discussed  
the dignity of the law in all of its  
phases. It was really quite laughable  
considering the fact that right be-  
neath their noses Canada was given  
an exhibition of the administration of  
the law in its most undignified phases  
according to the Philadelphia In-  
quirer.

The brief stay of Harry Thaw in  
Canada seems to have upset the Do-  
minion completely. The world has  
been treated to a series of perform-  
ances—a legal nightmare, it might be  
termed, in the jingo of vaudeville—  
such as might have been looked for,  
perhaps, in the Fiji Islands, but  
hardly in an intelligent and progres-  
sive colony of Great Britain. Thaw  
entered Canada and was arrested. He  
resorted to habeas corpus proceedings  
to get him out of jail, but finding  
that he was in danger of falling into  
the hands of the immigration officials  
he withdrew them. Next, the con-  
stable who arrested him resorted to  
habeas corpus without the contest of  
Thaw and actually against his wishes.  
The marvelous decision was that the  
constable was legally in the right.  
Thaw was set free over the protests  
of his lawyers, and immediately the  
immigration officers grabbed him.  
They ordered his deportation, but a  
restraining order was issued from the  
courts at Montreal. Now of a sudden  
high authority override: the courts,  
just waives them aside as of no ac-  
count whatever, and the immigration  
officials are told to rush Thaw over  
the border into Vermont in spite of  
law or courts or anything else.

The whole thing, from the legal  
standpoint, is very much on a par  
with the Jerome poker incident. Jer-  
ome was caught gambling in public—  
passing the time away playing cards  
in an automobile near a railway sta-  
tion. The justice of the peace who  
held him in bail was outspelled in  
his denunciations of Jerome; declared  
that he would make Jerome pay the  
penalty to the full, which was a year's  
term in jail. Shortly there bolts to  
the surface a magistrate of the  
neighborhood who ranks above the  
justice, and who in turn denounces  
the arrest of Jerome. The magis-  
trate proceeds to usurp the authority

of the underling, holds court, dis-  
charges the prisoner and abjectly  
apologizes for the annoyance given  
him. Triumphant Jerome walks  
forth a free man. As far as the  
arrest was the hearing—or trial.

If Thaw has accomplished nothing  
else during his Canadian outing he  
has held up the laws of Canada to  
ridicule—or, rather, the adminis-  
tration of them. There has been noth-  
ing but trickery and deception on  
both sides, with a forcible ejection of  
Canada's undesirable guest for a  
windup of the legal vaudeville.  
From it all only one man emerges  
with—what shall we call it, notoriety,  
fame, reputation?—and that is Pen-  
ny-Ante Jerome, whose dubious ap-  
pellation is likely to linger with him  
for a long time to come.

## SUFFER IN SILENCE

In the matter of bearing pain stoic-  
ally and suffering in silence, man may  
learn useful lessons from the lower  
animals. Expecting no sympathy, an  
animal makes no effort to excite it,  
but generally accepts with apparent  
gratitude any efforts to alleviate its  
distress.

One of the most pathetic things is  
the manner in which the animal king-  
dom endures suffering, says a writer  
in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Take  
horses, for instance, in battle. After  
the first shock of a wound they make  
no sound. They bear the pain with a  
mute, wondering endurance, and if at  
night you hear a wild groan from the  
battlefield it comes from their loneliness,  
their loss of that human com-  
panionship which seems absolutely in-  
dispensable to the comfort of domesti-  
cated animals.

The dog will carry a broken leg for  
days wistfully but uncomplainingly.  
The cat stricken with stick or stone  
or caught in some trap from which it  
knows its way to freedom crawls to  
some secret place and bears its fierce  
pain which we could not endure.

Sheep and cattle meet the thrust of  
the butcher's knife without a sound,  
and even common poultry endure in-  
tense agony without complaint.

The dove shot unto death, flies to  
some far-off bough and as it dies the  
silence is unbroken save the patter  
on the leaves of its own life blood.

The wounded deer speeds to some  
thick brake and in pitiful submission  
waits for death.

The eagle struck in midair, fights  
to the last against the fatal arrows.  
There is no moan or sound of  
pain, and the defiant look never fades  
from its eye until the lids close them  
never to uncover again.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Of course the people are to be  
given to understand, as usual, that  
the football rules will make the  
game a whole lot safer to play.

It keeps some men busy remember-  
ing just which party they switched  
to last.

The man who is always busy talk-  
ing about himself has at least the  
quality of being less harmless than  
the man who is always talking about  
somebody else.

We respectfully refer the man who  
asked "what is coal for" to the man  
that charges 10 cents per bushel for  
it.

Thaw has found out where he is  
not wanted, and that is at least  
something.

Fate is reasonable after all. Just  
at the time when the price of meat  
is going out of sight along comes the  
announcement that meat has the qual-  
ity of killing us before our time.

All is sympathy with the girl that  
didn't want to go home when home  
was Monessen.

Let the man who has been used  
to starting a balky horse by building  
a fire under him apply the same meth-  
od for starting a balky automobile,  
and see if he isn't surprised at re-  
sults.

It really matters little how Huerta's  
name is pronounced when we are  
tired of both him and his name.

When Walter Thomas was being  
taken to jail at Washington, he was  
in process of being caught in another  
county and being chased in fourteen

# PICKED UP IN PASSING

Proud of the advancement his son  
had made at a certain Pennsylvania  
university, a Monongahela valley man  
was disclaiming to a group of  
friends some of the fine things about  
his son.

"Is he getting along all right at  
school?" one asked.  
"Yes, indeed, he is," he replied the  
fond father. "Why, that boy is one  
of the brightest fellows you ever saw.  
He just got his papers today showing  
where he had passed the refreshment  
class and was promoted."

According to a Monessen physician,  
relates the Friday Evening Call there  
is nothing healthier for a school boy  
or school girl to eat than apples.

"Do you know what you are eat-  
ing?" asked the doctor of a citizen  
who was contentedly munching an  
apple.

"An apple, of course," he replied.  
"You are eating," said the doctor,  
"albumen, sugar, gum, hemic acid,  
calcic acid, fiber, water and phos-  
phorus."

"I hope those things are good. They  
sound alarming."

"Nothing could be better. You ate  
perhaps, rather too much meat at  
dinner. The malic acid of apples  
neutralizes the excess of chalky mat-  
ter caused by too much meat and  
thereby helps to keep you young. Ap-  
ples are good for your complexion.  
Their acids drive out the noxious mat-  
ters, if retained, render sluggish.  
Moreover, the acids of the apple di-  
minish the acidity of the stomach  
that comes with some forms of indig-  
estion. The phosphorus, of which  
apples contain a larger percentage  
than any other fruit or vegetable, re-  
news the essential nervous matter of  
the brain and spinal column. O, the  
ancients were not wrong when they  
esteemed the apple the food of the  
gods—the magic renewer of youth.  
I think I'll have an apple," concluded  
the doctor.

# TELEPHONE MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED BY STATE COMMISSION

An announcement was made today  
that the Public Service Commission  
would give a hearing on September  
23 in the telephone schedule which  
it has proposed for the state. It is  
probable that the final objections will  
be heard then and the commission  
take up consideration of the argu-  
ments against it.

The commission also announced  
that a hearing would be held in Oc-  
tober in the matter of five contracts  
of municipalities with public service  
corporations, the law requiring that  
hearings be held before such con-  
tracts are approved.

# NO DATE SET FOR OPENING OF THE B. & N. RAILROAD

No definite time for the operation  
of the Buckhannon and Northern line  
has yet been set and the persons in  
the towns touched by the new line are  
asking questions about the cause of  
the delay. Nothing has ever been  
done regarding the freight or passen-  
ger rates and that seems to be in-  
dication that the time for the opening  
of the new road is far distant.

Major S. D. Brady, chief engineer  
of the Buckhannon & Northern rail-  
road at Morgantown, stated this week  
that he had no information as to the  
freight tariffs, or instructions as to  
the inauguration of traffic over the  
new railroad. The matter of freight  
rates, he said, was handled through  
the Pittsburgh offices.

Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker, lead-  
ing spirit in the Little Giant's in-  
vasion of this section, is still enjoy-  
ing the scenes in the Fatherland and  
is not expected back in Pittsburg for  
a month yet. In railroad circles, it  
is unofficially reported that there is  
not likely to be much doing until the  
colonel's return.

High officials of the Buckhannon  
and Northern railroad in Fairmont let  
it be known that bids would be asked  
for within a short time for the ex-  
tension of the line into Fairmont. It  
is the plan to have the bids tabulated  
and ready for Colonel Schoonmaker  
to act upon on his return from Europe  
about the middle of October. Before  
work can be started on the extension  
however, it is necessary for the Fair-  
mont city council to pass upon the  
railroad company's application for a  
right of way.

Others. Not even a man with a pleas-  
ing personality like William Travers  
Jerome could beat that.

# AUTOMOBILE LICENSE LAW TO BE TESTED

It is understood a test case will be  
instituted in a few days by Attorney  
General Bell, Highway Commissioner  
E. M. Bigelow and Auditor General  
Powell to test the validity of the new  
law providing for the payment for  
road income from automobile licenses  
to the state highway department for  
road improvements. The auditor  
general was not clear on the matter  
and favors a test case before paying  
over the thousands of dollars that  
have been accumulated from this  
source.

# CONSIDERATION OF RAILROAD PASS MATTER POSTPONED

The Pennsylvania public service  
commission in a statement has stated  
that it will not take up the question  
of railroad passes until after Janu-  
ary 1. The board says the act creat-  
ing it does not become effective un-  
til then. A committee of the Brother-  
hood of Locomotive Engineers  
sought information on the question.  
The question of passes is attracting  
a great deal of attention throughout  
the state. People who have studied  
the question thoroughly are of the  
opinion that under the new law fam-  
ilies of employees of railroads will be  
debarred from free transportation.  
This courtesy is now extended to them.

# MAN ACCOUNTABLE TO GOD ARE WORDS OF REV. ZAHNIZER

"God has a plan for every life and  
man will be held accountable for a  
failure to fulfill His highest purpose  
concerning him." These were the  
words of Rev. A. D. Zahniser at the  
Free Methodist tent services Friday  
night. He was speaking on the sub-  
ject "Accountability and Personal  
Responsibility," taking his text from  
Genesis 1:9. The speaker showed  
that man is accountable for sins and  
all their attendant results as well as  
all the sins of omission which far  
outnumber the real sins of transgres-  
sion.

Rev. Zahniser is attracting more  
attention each night and despite the  
inclement weather of Friday night  
the largest crowd of the week was in  
attendance. Special services will be  
held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock  
and the usual services in the evening.

# RAILROAD BORROWED STREET, SAYS ELCO; FORGOT TO RETURN IT

The case of the borough of Elco,  
against the Pennsylvania Railroad  
company, an action to compel the de-  
fendant company to replace a street  
at the south end of the borough  
which they are alleged to have ap-  
propriated, will be aired in court for  
this second time. This action was  
brought some time ago but when it  
reached the court it was non-suited  
because the attorneys for the mu-  
nicipality had brought action against  
the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charle-  
stown Railroad company when it should  
have been the Pennsylvania Railroad.  
The corrected papers have now  
been prepared and the case is again  
ready for presentation.

# MONONGAHELA TO JOIN PRESS SOCCER LEAGUE

A movement is on foot in Monon-  
gahela to organize a soccer football  
team to enter the Pittsburg Press  
league this fall. This league is com-  
prised of teams from along the val-  
ley, including Roscoe, Dunlevy, Don-  
ora Elizabeth and Curry and if Mon-  
ongahela enters it will make the sixth  
team. A meeting has been called for  
Monday night at which time the ad-  
visability of entering the league will  
be discussed. If this action is taken  
the team will be composed of the  
stars of last year's Gallatin team and  
a number of expert exponents of the  
old sport in Monongahela. It is said  
a fast aggregation can be put on the  
field.

# FOR BURGESS



To the Voters of Charleroi:

At the primary election  
on Tuesday, September 16,  
1913, I will be a candidate  
for burgess on the Demo-  
cratic ticket. I have been  
a taxpayer in Charleroi and  
for fifteen years, and a con-  
scientious voter of the Demo-  
cratic political faith. In  
giving your vote at the com-  
ing primary election, I can-  
not give me a little consid-  
eration with the rest of the  
dates.

Respectfully,

S. L. Woodward

# FOR TAX COLLECTOR

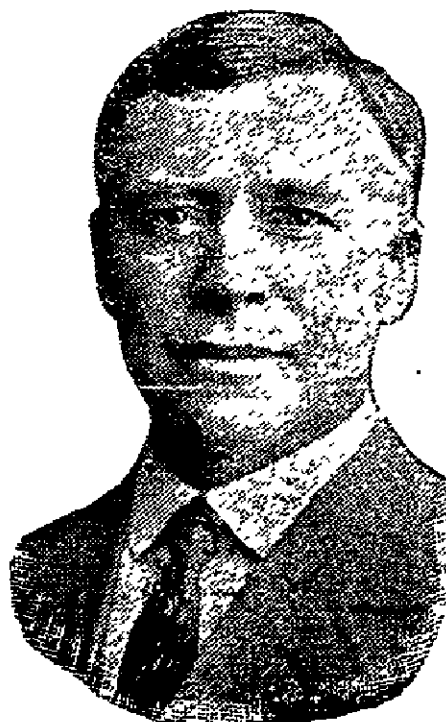


Respectfully

LOUIS J. MITCHELL

To the Voters of Charleroi:

At the primary election  
to take place on Tuesday,  
September 16, I will be a  
candidate on the Washington  
Party Ticket for the office  
of Tax Collector. As ac-  
countant I have had 10 years  
experience, and as auditor  
of borough finances for two  
years, I have become famil-  
iar with the work of tax  
collecting. I am a property  
holder and tax payer and  
alive to the interests of the  
borough. In casting your  
vote at the primary election,  
I ask your kindly consid-  
eration.



For Director of the Poor

HARRY H. HUSTON

AMWELL TOWNSHIP

Veteran Spanish-American

Philippine Wars

Subject to Washington Party Rules

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# POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR BURGESS

DR. J. W. MANON

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FRED W. BRADY

REPUBLICAN

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TAYLOR FOREMAN

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

FRANK BLY

WASHINGTON

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

ALLEN S. MANSFIELD

DEMOCRATIC

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

I. R. BLYTHE

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR TAX COLLECTOR

J. W. MATHIAS

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR BURGESS

JOHN K. HEIN

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR BURGESS

R. J. WHITEHEAD

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR DIRECTOR OF THE POOR

DR. C. J. McNULTY

WASHINGTON, PA.

Ringgold Battalion Veteran

WASHINGTON PARTY

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR BURGESS

JOHN MAJORS

WASHINGTON

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR COUNCIL

F. P. McCLOSKEY

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR COUNCIL

D. R. HORMELL

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR COUNCIL

C. W. WELTNER

REPUBLICAN

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FOR COUNCIL

W. H. CALVERT

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

FOR COUNCIL

Charles S. Van Voorhis

REPUBLICAN

Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.



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A Business Education will lift you out of the undesirable occupation you are now forced to fill to

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## Freckles

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With the Othine Prescription

This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent

physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by your druggist under an absolute guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful im-

provement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.

## READ THE MAIL

## SHAKO TO BE RESTORED

British War Office Revives Historic Old Headdress in the Service.

The war office has at last definitely decided to adopt the shako for the full dress headgear of infantry of the line in place of the heavy and clumsy helmet.

The pattern to be adopted differs slightly from that worn for so many years by our infantry and will be much lower in the crown, approximating more to the kepi of the French infantry.

The new headdress is extremely light to wear and will be of a uniform pattern throughout the service. It will be worn only by the infantry and the royal artillery. The royal engineers, the army service corps, the royal army medical corps and other branches of the service will continue to wear the helmet until the new pattern can be provided for them.

The white helmet is also to be retained for the Indian service, and for the present the khaki helmet for the colonial service is not to be discarded.

Some new shakos are already manufactured, and it is proposed to send a soldier wearing one of them to Buckingham Palace in order that it may be examined by the king, who will have the opportunity of comparing it with the present pattern helmet.

Large numbers of the new shako are to be manufactured immediately, and it is hoped that the whole of the infantry at home may be equipped with them not later than the end of next year.

It will not be necessary to apply to parliament for a supplementary estimate for the cost of the shako, since the war office has already in hand out of which the cost can be met.

No decision has been arrived at as to the troops which shall first receive the new headdress, but a beginning will probably be made with those at Aldershot, and not in Ireland, as has been announced.

It is proposed that only the royal regiments shall wear a plume with the shako, though of course the plume worn by the Scottish regiments that now have this dress will not be interfered with.—Pall Mall Gazette.

## RESERVED FOR THE EMPEROR

Fish of Remarkable Delicacy Has Place Only on the Tables of the Highest.

Now that China is a republic it would be interesting to know what has become of the sacred fish which in the days of the empire could be eaten only by the emperor of China and his folk and the emperor of Russia and his folk.

This fish is an exquisite delicacy so delicious and rare that it has been reserved for royal palates from time immemorial. The fishermen whose duty it was to take it from the only stream in which it has been known to exist—a small river lying between Russian and Chinese domains—have had orders to let none of it be diverted from its noble destiny. Whether the fishermen themselves ever yielded to what one can imagine as an overmastering passion and indulged in a secret midnight repast of the glorious little fish of course none can say. But certain it is that the ordinary Chinaman would have turned shudderingly away from a banquet in which the prohibited fish was an item no matter how his mouth watered for the dainty.

One of the things which makes the fish such a rarity is that it breeds only once at a time, a very extraordinary condition among fishes.

The Chinese—the nobles, at least—have been a nation of epicures, and there are no greater delicacies to be found anywhere than those which appeared on the tables of the emperor and his courtiers.

## The Mystery of Fishing.

Fishing is more full of mystery than a dime novel. For instance, here are a few questions about it that the wisest fisherman on earth can not answer:

When two men, using the same sort of bait, tackle, etc., fish in just the same way, side by side, from the same boat, why will one of them some times make a good catch, while the other catches nothing? Why will a certain bait prove irresistible to the fish one day and be scorned by them on another day that is just like the first? Why do fish seem ravenously hungry one minute and lie sulkily and motionless on the bottom the next minute? Why will there be hundreds of one sort of fish in a certain locality one day and why will they all be replaced by a totally different fish the next day? There are a hundred other unanswerable questions. But most unanswerable of all is the question why they are so easily caught by one man while another and perhaps more expert fisherman, sitting close beside the lucky fisher, won't get so much as a bite?

## Dogs as Beasts of Burden.

A memory of the times when dogs worked for a living in England is seen in the "dog cart," which originally was literally drawn by dogs, and, until prohibited in 1839 by act of parliament, was the workingman's usual means of taking a run into the country. Strong half-bred mastiffs were usually employed, and these thought nothing of conveying their masters 50 or 60 miles in a day with no more sustenance than bread soaked in beer.

# After Long Suffering

Women Are Constantly Being Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"Worth mountains of gold," says one woman. Another says, "I would not give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for all the other medicines for women in the world." Still another writes, "I should like to have the merits of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound thrown on the sky with a searchlight so that all suffering women could read and be convinced that there is a remedy for their ills."

We could fill a newspaper ten times the size of this with such quotations taken from the letters we have received from grateful women whose health has been restored and suffering banished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished such a universal success? Why has it lived and thrived and kept on doing its glorious work among the sick women of the world for more than 30 years?

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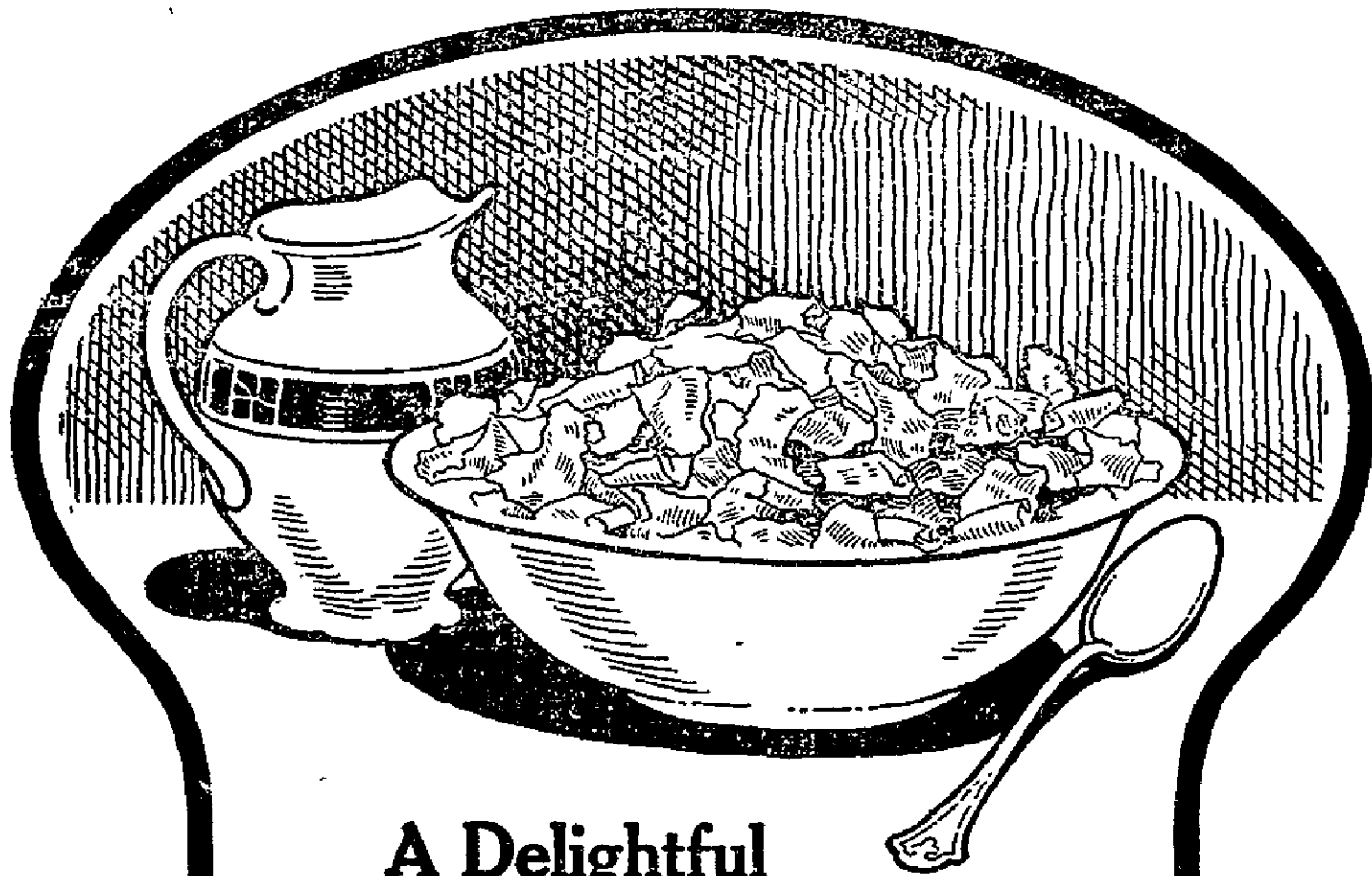
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"What puzzles me," said Uncle Snooks, as he looked up from a book he was consulting, "is this. If a man is standing on the side of a hill or mountain, how is he to settle in his mind whether he is on an accivity or a declivity? According to my dictionary here, the former is 'a slope up,' and the latter 'a slope down.' I've never yet seen a slope up that didn't slope down."

**Loyalty an Essential.**  
Loyalty is one of the most important essentials to business success. We place this ahead of brains, ability or experience. While these are not only important, but absolutely necessary to secure the greatest success in one's chosen work, yet without loyalty of the absolutely dependable kind the employee's chance is greatly minimized.

**Hot Corn Bags.**  
An excellent substitute for the expensive hot water bottle of rubber is made by heating common field corn, shelled, in a pan in the oven. When thoroughly warmed, pour it into cloth bags, such as salt and sugar are packed in. These filled bags are light and pliable, and satisfactorily answer every purpose of the hot water bottle.—McCall's Magazine.

**Didn't Look Good to Her.**  
My five-year old niece went to a restaurant with me one day. I ordered some hash for both of us. When the waitress set it on the table my little niece kept looking at it. I asked her why she didn't eat and she replied, "Auntie, I don't eat anything that looks like a puzzle to me."—Chicago Tribune.

**Live Longer Nowadays.**  
Life insurance folk say, says the New York Telegraph, that the expectation of life nowadays is well above seventy, and that persons nowadays are supposed to live at least until they are eighty, and if they reach that age should last until they are ninety, and so on, and about five out of every two hundred persons should walk the earth for a century.

**Most Ungallant.**  
One of the most whimsical wills ever made is that of a bachelor of France who left all his property, amounting to a considerable inventory, to three ladies who had refused to marry him. He stated in the document: "These bequests I make to these ladies, for to them I owe all my earthly happiness."

**Where It Would Count.**  
"Darling," he murmured, as soon as they had been seated in the high-priced restaurant, "you can have anything you want on the bill of fare. Shall I read it off to you?" "No," replied the dear girl, "just read it to the water."

**Purifying the Language.**  
The female red deer is known as a hind and not a doe. The young red deer is also known not as a fawn but as a calf. These trifles are very shocking to sensitive ears.—London Spectator.

**More Likely.**  
"Now, I want a canary that will sing right away and sing what I like; one that won't get the pip or die the first week." "You don't want a canary, my friend. What you want is a music box."

**Beef of 1889 Still Fresh.**  
R. Whympier, writing in Knowledge, mentioned that a piece of beefsteak which his uncle, the late Edward Whympier, the Alpinist, sealed up in a vacuum in 1889, is still in a remarkably good state of preservation.

**One Kind of Declaration.**  
"I love you Estelle," he continued, "star of my soul. I loved you through opera-glasses at the opera . . . and I shall love no one else."—"Women I Have Loved," by Henry Orane.

**What Joy.**  
Legitimate actors may sneer, but the actor who acts to the "movies" has one privilege worth more than gold or precious stone—he can see himself act.

**Too Fond of Giving Advice.**  
He gave advice and never quit. He tossed it round both far and nigh, and was annoyed when some of it flew back and hit him in the eye.

**He Couldn't Deny It.**  
"Sir!" she exclaimed when he kissed her; "you forget yourself." "Possibly," he replied calmly; "but I can think of myself any old time. Just now you are occupying my undivided attention."—Boston Transcript.

**To Exchange Speakers.**  
Mrs. Alex. Tweedie of London and Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs, were at a luncheon in Chicago last week and agreed that it would be good for both countries if an exchange of speakers could be made. The taking of the first step was left to the Chicago Woman's club at the suggestion of Mrs. Pennybacker.

**Library Without Light.**  
The great national library of France, the Bibliotheque Nationale, in Paris, has a splendid site, 44 miles of shelves and 3,000,000 volumes to fill them, but in the winter that vast store of learning and intellectual delight is nearly useless, because the library has no artificial light, and its books are issued to readers and students only in the middle of the short days.

**National and State Banks.**  
National banks may loan money on approved security, but they are prohibited from loaning money upon real estate or upon the security of their own stock, and from making accommodation loans to any person, company, corporation or firm to an amount exceeding one-tenth part of their capital. State banks and private banks may loan money upon real estate.

**Removing Stains.**  
Paint stains are easily removed when they are fresh, but they are not generally discovered until they are dried. To remove wet paint from white fabric wash it with soap and water and then boil it with kerosene in the water. The rub the stain between the hands with soap and hot water. By this time the stain should be gone. Rinse in several waters.

**Mixed Metaphor.**  
One day while caressing her little three-year-old daughter, a mother called her "My little comfort." A few evenings later, when callers were present, she gathered the little one up in her arms, but without further attention. Presently, feeling neglected, she looked up into her mother's face and asked: "Mamma, is I your little blanket?"

**Appropriate Decoration.**  
"Why do politicians wear high hats and frock coats?" asked the person who makes trivial inquiries. "Well," replied Senator Sorghum, "the high hat and the frock coat constitute the appropriate attire for occasions both of mourning and congratulation. And every election makes a politician feel as if he were going to a funeral or a wedding."

**First American Flag.**  
The first American flag of the present stars and stripes pattern was hoisted over Ft. Schuyler, then a military post on the site of the present village of Rome, Oneida county, New York. At that time the flag had only thirteen stars, but the stripes were the same in number as now, thirteen.

**Inference Obvious.**  
Reggie (over on a visit)—"Do you know, old chap, I think that vulgar fellow over there insulted me?" American Friend—"You think so? What did he say?" Reggie—"Why, he suggested in a very rude manner that when I die I bequeath my head to a collar-button factory."

**Why He Quit Working.**  
Woman (lecturing tramp)—"You should work, if only to set a good example to others." Tramp—"I did that once, mum, an' the poor feller wot took the example worked so hard he died er nervous prostration."

**Wood Pulp Sponges.**  
Treated with chloride of zinc, wood pulp forms a viscous mass. When salt is added and the mixture has been rinsed with alcohol and compressed a fair imitation of a sponge results.—Harper's Weekly.

**Slight Formality.**  
"Do you think the office ought to seek the man?" "Yes," replied the willing patriot; "although of course it may be necessary for the man to leave his address with the head of a department."

**Her Diploma.**  
"She says she went abroad to finish her education. I wonder if she learned much." "She told me she had six new ways to fix her hair."—Judge.

**Willie's Advice.**  
"You'd better eat slow," said Willie to the clergyman who was dining with the family. "Mamma never gives more'n one piece of pie."

**Real Meaning of Phrase.**  
When a person says "I am terribly misunderstood" it generally means that somebody has become thoroughly wise to him.

**Play With Spirit.**  
Figz—Shakespeare is immortal. I consider "Hamlet" a play for all time. Fogg—That's so; it will never give up the ghost.

**The Family Horse.**  
A family horse never seems to be going anywhere in particular until it is going home.—Maryville Tribune.

**Daily Thought.**  
After all, our worst misfortunes never happen, and most miseries lie in the anticipation.—Balzac.

**Can Generally Find Company.**  
The man who can make others laugh is seldom permitted to go alone.

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## THEIR WEAPON OF DEFENSE

Mysterious Provision of Nature in the Case of Grasshoppers and Other Small Insects.

Everyone has been startled, on seizing a grasshopper, by having the animal throw off a quantity of "tobacco-juice" from his mouth. Many insects throw off quantities of juice in this manner when they are attacked, some from the mouth, some from the "joints" on the abdomen, some from special points on the head, or other parts of the body. The juice thus ejected is generally some of the insect's blood, and its sudden discharge no doubt frequently causes the captor to loosen his hold, or to drop the prey altogether. Especially is this likely in the case of those insects that emit an acid or a poisonous liquid, as for example the "Spanish fly" or cantharides beetle. It is not to be supposed that this discharge is in any sense a voluntary act on the part of the insect; it is a direct response to certain kinds of disturbance. In this respect the action may be compared to "death-feigning" in insects and in other animals. In some insects, in which the juice is discharged from the soft parts of the abdominal segments, the juice is thrown off upon suitable stimulation even after the animal's head has been removed. This curious behavior is not confined to any one family of insects, but has been observed among several species of the grasshopper family, among ants, wasps and hornets, in members of the moth and butterfly family, in beetles, in true bugs and even among certain flies. The blood does not come to the surface through wounds caused by the disturbance; the opening is produced by a sudden increase in blood pressure, at points that are especially thin and yielding. The first effect of the disturbance is to cause certain muscles to contract, thus increasing the pressure in the blood, leading to the bursting of the special ejection spots.

## ROUSSEAU'S VIEWS ON LOVE

Newly Discovered Letter Written to a Friend of the Philosopher Has Been Found.

A remarkable autograph letter of Jean Jacques Rousseau, showing in a vivid light his views on the subject of love, has just been made public in connection with the Rousseau centenary, and is considered by the critics to be an important addition to our knowledge of the great philosopher. The letter was written in 1759, the year in which "Nouvelle Heloise" was published, and is addressed to Deleyre, Comte de Croisoul's secretary, who had just become engaged to be married. It runs as follows:

"Dear Deleyre: You have made an idiotic mistake, for if you continue to love a promise is superfluous, while if you cease loving it is useless, and you may cause yourself the greatest embarrassment. But perhaps your promise has been paid for in spot cash. If so, I have nothing more to say. You have signed it with your blood. That is almost tragic. However, I do not know that the ink wherewith one writes makes any difference in the faith of the person who signs. I quite see that love makes children of philosophers, just as it does of the rest of us.

"Without being your friend, my dear Deleyre, I have a friendly feeling for you, and I am alarmed at your present condition. For heaven's sake, consider that love is only an illusion, and that one sees nothing as it really is when one loves."

It is pointed out as showing a curious trait in Rousseau's character that the letter was written at Montmorency, in the house in which Madame Depiney, one of his admirers, had just built for him.

## Insisted Silk Was Changeable.

One of the large Kansas City stores owes it success, in a great measure, to its policy of exchanging goods if returned in a salable condition. An exception is made when dress materials have been cut from the bolt.

One day recently a customer purchased ten yards of a two-toned silk, which the clerk assured her was the most fashionable fabric of the season. When she reached home with her purchase she decided, on reflection, that a woolen material would be more serviceable.

Accordingly, she returned to the store the next day and requested the exchange. The clerk explained that it was an impossibility, as the goods had been cut.

"Why, I bought this with the distinct understanding," remonstrated the woman, "that I could return it. Did you not tell me it was a changeable taffeta?"

The exchange was made.

## Once at Least.

Addison Mizner, the noted vireur, told, during a visit to Atlantic City, a story about a beautiful young widow. "In her white bathing suit," he said, "with her blond hair and her supple grace, the widow is certainly not—ha, ha, ha—the widow is certainly not amiss."

"Two show girls discussed her rather enviously as she glided past them in her rolling chair the other day."

"She looks so demure," said the first, "and she is so rich and so beautiful—I wonder if she ever had a joy ride?"

"Oh, I'm sure she had," said the other show-girl, "when she attended the sepulture of her octogenarian millionaire husband."

## Be Honest.

Being honest is the greater part of achievement. When you know that you're doing the best within you, you can't be downed. Self-respect is an eternal life preserver—no matter how often circumstance wrecks you, you're bound to float back to solid ground again. When men strive for posts of trust, they must be somewhat post-like themselves and stand steady.—Herbert Kaufman.

## Upper Burma Home of Ruby.

While certain qualities of rubies are widely distributed and found in Burma, Siam, Ceylon, Afghanistan, India, Brazil, Australia and the United States, the countries of Burma, Siam and Ceylon are beyond question commercially the more important. Just as this is true there rests but little if any doubt that Upper Burma, the Mogok section, furnishes the finest and largest supply.

## Oil Drilling by Hand.

Oil exists in great quantities in Siam, but the methods of securing it are exceedingly crude. The wells are not more than sixty feet deep and are dug by hand. The oil secured is that which is baled from the bottom of the well by dippers on long sticks of bamboo. The oil is sold to the natives who live within calling distance of the wells.

## Three Babes Walked Fifteen Miles.

Three children—Ida Farrow, eight years old, Willie Farrow, five, and Linda Benton, six, of Petersburg—walked 15½ miles to Whaplode Drove one recent Sunday to see their grandmother. The children, who undertook the journey unknown to their parents, arrived exhausted, and after being fed and rested were driven home again.—London Mail.

## Novelist Plays Safe.

Dickens and Balzac, living before novelists walked in fear of libel actions, took the name of their characters from above the shop doors of London and Paris. Mr. Frankfort Moore confesses to an equally easy, but safer method. He draws the names from tombstones. Dead men read no tales.

## Worth It.

"Prisoner at the bar," said the judge, "is there anything you wish to say before sentence is passed upon you?" "No, my lord, there is nothing I care to say; but if you'll clear away the tables and chairs for me to thrash my lawyer, you can give me a year or two extra."—Tit-Bits.

## That's the Question.

"Here is a story of a Chicago woman who says that present marriage laws make woman the slave of man," said the square-jawed matron as she looked up from the newspaper. "Why don't they enforce the law, then?" meekly asked Mr. Henpecke.—Buffalo Express.

## Wasn't Shocked.

"I saw you and your husband at the play last night, Mrs. Wedgecomb. How did you like it?" "I'm sorry we wasted our money on it. Several people told me I would be shocked, but I wasn't."—Chicago Record-Herald.

## Not for Him.

"Some day," remarked the nice old gentleman, "you may be president of the United States." "Mebbe," replied the son of the very big business man, "but if they want me they will have to raise the salary."

## Disconcerting.

"We formed a club of girls sworn to marry no man commanding less than \$10,000 a year." "And what broke it up?" "A young fellow came along who was earning \$30 a week."—Buffalo Commercial.

## Early Parentage Best.

Of children born of parents at the age of 41, one-third die during the first year, while the rate of mortality among those born of parents between the ages of 21 and 30 is less than 3 per cent.

## Nancy Is for Rent.

In the window of an uptown bird store there is a sign that reads: "Nancy, our Angora cat, rented out by the hour or day. Warranted to kill every rat or mouse in your home."

## Right Away.

Orator—"Now, then, is there anybody in the audience who would like to ask a question?" Voice—"Yes, sir; how soon is the band going to play?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## Great Guessing.

A man who undertakes to tell exactly what he is going to do and how he is going to do it has to be a wonderfully good guesser.—Washington Star.

## High Need of Animals and Men.

God had need of irrational animals to make use of appearances, but of us to understand the use of appearances.—Epictetus.

## Clean-Up.

He—"If I call pa 'pop,' why can't I call ma 'mop'?" She—"If you do, she'll wipe the floor with you."—Judge.

## ORDERED, AND WAS CREEPY

Natural Masculine Exercise of Authority Accorded by Small Boy's Playmate.

They were about six years old. They were climbing along an old stone wall. At least she was. He did not seem to get the combination very well. He stood on the sidewalk and watched her, making occasional abortive attempts himself to scale to the position she had attained, but unable to accomplish much. Finally she got down on the sidewalk and howled him how. A ledge ran along the wall. She helped him up on to this, showed him how to grasp an upper molding and then how to cling close, sliding slowly along with the inspiring feeling of accomplishing the impossible and the delightful sensation of danger in the process.

Having started him on the circuit of the wall, she climbed up to her former position. In a few moments he overtook her. "Get down," he commanded, "so I can pass." She protested. She had been up there first. He should get down and climb up again ahead of her if he wished to pass, or else he should not hurry so much. "Get down," was his only comment. After some futile remonstrances she let herself drop down to the sidewalk. He passed quickly along without looking at her or so much as a thank you. She watched him a moment. Then she clambered up the wall again and meekly followed him. And the author, observing them from the window of her flat across the way, had an idea for her new novel.—New York Press.

## OLD MAGAZINE COMES BACK

Revival in Paris of Fashion Journal That Once Exerted a Remarkable Influence.

After being dead for 73 years, a paper which exercised extraordinary influence in the Paris of the past has come to life again. It is called Le Journal des Dames et des Modes and, after its long sleep, appears once more in the same form, the same type and on the same paper as in the fifth year of the republic.

The paper was founded by a certain Pierre de la Mesangere, who had been destined for the priesthood, but was turned out of the seminary, where he taught dogma, at the revolution. He came to Paris to try to earn his living, and abandoned theology to rule the mode by prescribing the cut of men's coats and the trimmings of women's hats.

The Journal des Dames continued to appear until 1835, and it calmly pursued its mission, regardless of political confusion and social upheaval. The empire is in ruins, the old monarchy takes its place, disappears, and is restored; Charles X. is dethroned and Louis Philippe takes the vacant throne. None of these bagatelles troubled the Journal des Dames. It had more serious affairs to deal with.

## Poetry and Music.

If I had to live my life again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once every week; for perhaps the parts of my brain now atrophied would thus have been kept active through use. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness, and may possibly be injurious to the intellect, and more probably to the moral character, by enfeebling the emotional part of our nature.—Charles Darwin.

## SAVED FROM OPERATIONS

Two Women Tell How They Escaped the Surgeon's Knife by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Swarthmore, Penn. — "For fifteen years I suffered untold agony, and for one period of nearly two years I had hemorrhages and the doctors told me I would have to undergo an operation, but I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am in good health now. I am all over the Change of Life and cannot praise your Vegetable Compound too highly. Every woman should take it at that time. I recommend it to both old and young for female troubles." — Mrs. EMILY SUMMERSHILL, Swarthmore, Pa.

Baltimore, Md. — "My troubles began with the loss of a child, and I had hemorrhages for four months. The doctors said an operation was necessary, but I decided it and decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. The medicine has made me a well woman and I feel strong and do my own work." — Mrs. J. R. PICKING, 1260 Sargent St., Baltimore, Md.

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Wherever you live, I can refer you to ladies of your own locality who know and will gladly tell any sufferer that this medicine really cures all women's diseases, and makes women well, strong, plump and robust. Just send me your address, and the free trial treatment is yours, also the book. Write to-day, as you may not see this offer again. Address: MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 8, Cottage Grove, Ind., U. S. A.

We are now showing our new Fall line of piece goods. We have the newest things in Ratine, Corderoy, Serge, Whipcords, Brocades, Plaids and Velvet in all shades. Just the thing you want for the new fall dresses.

We are also showing a new and complete line of wool and cotton blankets and comforts.

**EUGENE FAU**

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## NO DIFFERENCE

The Proof Is Here the Same As Everywhere.

For those who seek relief from kidney backache, weak kidneys, bladder ills, Doan's Kidney Pills offer hope of relief and the proof is here, in Charleroi the same as everywhere. Charleroi people have used Doan's and Charleroi people recommend Doan's, the kidney remedy used in America for fifty years. Why suffer? Why run the risk of dangerous kidney ills—fatal Bright's disease. Here's Charleroi proof. Investigate it.

Mrs. B. Mahoney, 823 McKean avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "For a long time one of our family complained of pains in the small of the back. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, a box was procured at Piper's Drug Store and their use was begun. They brought such great relief that I do not hesitate to recommend them to other kidney sufferers."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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## SCHOOL SHOES

You are sure to find the kind of school shoes you are looking for here. Our School Shoes will stand the test.

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Good Gun Metal School Shoes from \$1.25 to \$2.00

Button or Lace

Bring the boy or girl here to be correctly fitted

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## FALL SILK SHOWING

We received a new line of silks this week and they make a beautiful showing. You can see just what you want for trimming for waists, dresses, etc.

There's a complete variety of colors in messalines, poplins, crepe de chene, brocades and other silks.

36 in Poplins in colors \$1.00  
36 in. Messaline all colors \$1.00  
27 in Silk Ratine... 60c  
25 in Brocade Silk... \$1.00  
42 in. Crepe de Chene \$1.00  
40 in. Brocade Crepe \$1.25  
40 in. Pine Tree Poplin \$1.25  
42 in. Mandasian Crepe, in colors, Navy, Copenhagen and Brown... \$2.00  
40 in. Egypt Silk, Copenhagen... \$2.00

27 in. Pine Tree Bengaline for waists and trimmings... \$1.00

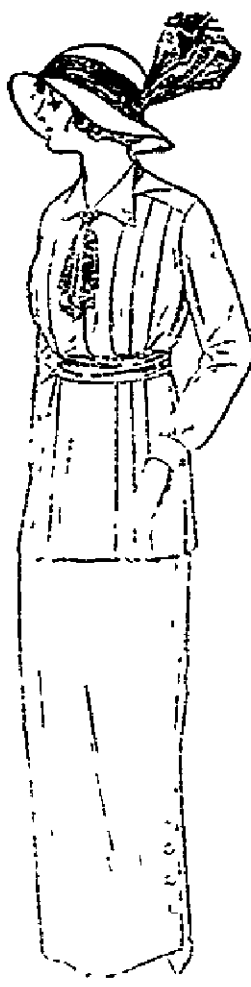
Bulgarian, Persian and fancy vestings suitable for trimming any material... \$1.00 and up to \$2.00

27 in. Brocade Crepe de Chene... 65c

Visit Our Dress Goods Department

### J. W. Berryman & Son

Charleroi's Leading Department Store



Pattern for dress shown in illustration. Price 50c each.

lightful three-act comedy, "The Chaperon," in which Maxine Elliott starred several seasons ago with conspicuous success. It was this play, in fact, that Miss Elliott chose to dedicate her beautiful little theatre in New York, which now bears her name.

#### GRAND-PITTSBURG.

Twelve acts, each a star and each an international favorite, will comprise a feast of fun and flow of art in the way of high class vaudeville in the Grand Opera House during the week beginning Monday afternoon, Sept. 15 and twice daily, at the Duquesne Theatre, Harry Davis, who has already signified the young season by presenting two unrivalled bills, promises to eclipse both of them with his galaxy of attractions for the forthcoming week.

#### DUQUESNE-PITTSBURG

For the week beginning Monday afternoon Sept. 15 and twice daily, at the Duquesne Theatre, Harry Davis announces a stupendous presentation of George M. Cohan's funniest and most successful musical comedy, "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway." Mr. Cohan has repeatedly tried to evolve another musical comedy that would equal this in popularity, but has never been able to do so.

#### AMONG THE CHURCHES

##### First Presbyterian.

Sabbath school 9:45. Morning service 11 o'clock. At this service the regular offering will be taken for the fund of education and will be deposited in blue envelopes. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening services at 7:30. All are welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

##### Methodist Episcopal.

Corner Sixth street and Lincoln avenue. Church and Sunday school, subject of sermon, "Church Unity," at 10:30. Epworth League at 6:45. Public worship at 7:45. Subject of sermon, "The City's Officials." On Sunday September 21 the church will observe rally day and a full attendance is desired. Throughout the following week rally services will be held each evening with such well known men as the following to occupy the pulpit. Rev. Dr. Hall the noted evangelist of Bradock, Rev. Dr. Mansell, Belle Vernon and Rev. Dr. Staples of McKeesport. Everybody welcome at the home-like church. Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor.

##### Washington Avenue Presbyterian

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "The Immutability of Our Lord." Senior C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Favorite Verses in the Gospel." Leader—Austin Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "In Touch With the Infinite." At the morning service there will be baptism of children. Strangers and those without a church home are invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

##### Episcopal.

Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject of discourse, "The Duty of Reference to the Divine Will." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "Jacob's Dream." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

##### Baptist.

Bible school at 9:45. Public worship at 11. Young people's meeting at 7. Subject, "Christian Culture." Leader, Miss Alma Higgins. Visitors are cordially welcomed. Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

##### Christian.

Bible school at 9:15 a. m. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Open Book." Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Subject, "The Holy Communion." Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:15 o'clock. This is the people's church. All are welcome. Come. Rev. E. N. Duty, minister.

##### Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11:00. Subject of discourse, "The Augsburg Confession." Luther league at 6:45. Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to all services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, Pastor.

Mrs. V. P. Stewart will show a distinctive line of fall hats at her millinery opening, today, September 13th, 417 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 52-12

##### Dippy Weather Dope

The melancholy days have come. The saddest sure for years; The weather man's a poor dumb brute. He nigh moves us to tears.

## Fall Millinery Opening

September 17 and 18

You Are Cordially Invited to Attend

### SPIDELL'S

403 McKean Ave.

## WATER FAMINE SAID TO EXIST ALONG RAILROAD

Following the general order of the superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania Railroad that the water supply on that division be conserved because of a possible water famine, comes a similar order from Supt. A. G. Mitchell of the Monongahela division.

The reservoirs throughout that territory are running low also due to the drying up of many of the streams used as sources of supply. Enginemen are likewise requested to fill tender tanks so that there will be no waste, and all pipes, faucets and valves will be inspected to insure against loss. Although there is low water period at the close of each summer, it is believed that danger of a famine this year is greater than usual.

## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Fall millinery opening Sept. 17 and 18—Spidell's, 403 McKean avenue. 53-15

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson joined a party from Beallsville Friday and attended the Wheeling fair.

Mrs. Edward Callahan of East Liverpool, Ohio is visiting with friends in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Piper have returned from Atlantic City and Mrs. Piper left this morning for New Brighton.

J. H. McCoy has been transferred to Connellsville from Charleroi by the Adams Express company.

Robert Worthington has gone to Chambersburg, where he will spend his vacation.

All are invited to our millinery opening today. Mrs. V. P. Stewart, 417 Fallowfield avenue. 52-12

Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Duty have returned home from their vacation visit. Rev. Duty has been absent a month sojourning in Maryland along Chesapeake Bay.

Rod S. Moody, a Republican candidate for council and Walter Byerly, manager of the Charleroi Lumber company, with their wives are at present spending their vacations automobiling along Lake Erie. They expect to proceed as far as Niagara Falls and then return by way of Chautauqua.

Mrs. Rose Betler and Miss Josephine Morgan are visiting Miss Betler's relatives over Sunday in Pittsburgh.

Miss Adeline Fau has returned to St. Joseph's academy, Seton Hill to resume her studies.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. James Bingham Small of Belle Vernon formerly of Charleroi, an eight pound son on Friday.

You are invited to attend Spidell's opening, Sept. 17 and 18. 53-15

**Read the Mail**

## CLERK-CARRIER TESTS LISTED FOR CHARLEROI

An examination for Clerk-carrier for the Charleroi post office will be held here on Saturday September 27. The examination will be in spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy and reading addresses.

Applicants must have reached their eighteenth but not their forty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination. The age limits are waived, however, in the case of persons honorably discharged from the United States military or naval service by reason of disability resulting from wounds or sickness incurred in the line of duty. Eligibles resulting from this examination who were under 21 years of age on the date of the examination will not be certified for filling vacancies in the position of assistant postmaster.

Male applicants for the post office service must be at least 5 feet 4 inches in height in bare feet, and 125 pounds in weight without overcoat and hat.

All applications must be in the hands of the district secretary not later than the hour of closing on September 23. For application blank and "Instructions to Applicants," applicants are to address the secretary of the board of United States civil-service examiners at the post office at the place of employment or the place of examination named above, or the district secretary of the third district, Post Office building, Philadelphia.

## SURPRISE GIVEN FOR REV. STANLEY

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Stanley were tendered a surprise by friends from Donora at their home on Fallowfield avenue Friday evening. At 8 o'clock the party, consisting of sixteen members of the Donora Baptist congregation and friends tramped in on Rev. and Mrs. Stanley. They brought with them a purse that had been made up for Rev. Stanley by the Donora congregation. A presentation speech was made by J. Kelly and Rev. Stanley responded.

## TODAY THE LAST FOR REGISTERING AT MONONGAHELA

Today is the last registration day in Monongahela to vote at the primaries next Tuesday. The third class city law provides for three registration days each year and unless the voters of the city appear and register as well as give their party preference they cannot vote next Tuesday. Owing to the several hot fights in the town, an extra effort has been put forth to get out a large vote and it is expected that at least 1500 votes will be cast in the town.

##### Deeds Recorded.

September 1, 1913—Jerome E. Van Voorhis of Charleroi, to Martha E. Martin of Charleroi, lot in North Charleroi, fronting 70.1 feet on Fourth street; consideration \$800.  
August 30, 1913—T. D. Williams, on et ux, Charleroi, to S. C. Faddis, Waynesburg, lot in Charleroi, fronting 40 feet on Lookout avenue; consideration \$1.

## MEETING OF SEALERS IS ANNOUNCED

Sealers of weights and measures from fifty cities and counties of Pennsylvania, having such officials, have been summoned to meet at the capitol on September 23, for a convention for discussion of the new laws relative to their offices and duties and of the problems they encounter in enforcement.

James Sweeney, chief of the state bureau of standards, has announced that the speakers will be Louis A. Fisher, chief of the division of weights and measures of the federal government; Dr. Fritz Reichmann, superintendent of weights and measures of New York and William L. Waldron, superintendent in New Jersey.

It is expected that steps to insure uniform enforcement of the laws and to clarify some puzzling situations will be taken. There are many provisions in the new laws that will cause different conditions from last year, especially the new commodities act.

## BIGAMY HEAR AGAINST EVANS IS POSTPONED

Justice J. F. Carmichael of Washington has granted a continuance in the case of Thomas E. Evans, ranchman of Wagner, South Dakota, who is charged with bigamy. Evans was to have been given a hearing Friday, at 10 o'clock, but on account of the failure to be present of Julia Evans, of Greenwood, S. D., who claims to be Evans' lawful wife, and is an important witness, continuance was granted until next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Chief of Police J. D. Bumgarner said that word had been received from Julia Evans that she was coming to Washington, with sufficient evidence that she is Evans' wife.

Evans came to Washington some weeks ago and after a whirlwind courtship married Anna Margaret Amos, an orphan girl. His arrest followed the receipt of word from Julia Evans that he had married her and later deserted her.

## MRS. L. F. HARDESTY DIES AT HOSPITAL; FUNERAL MONDAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Hardesty, aged 26, the wife of L. F. Hardesty, of Speers, died at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, Friday night at about 11:30 o'clock. She had been ill a week, following an operation. Funeral services will be held on Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the late home at Speers. Interment will be in the Monongahela cemetery. Her husband and four children survive. The family lived at the corner of McKean avenue and Eighth street, moving from there a few weeks ago to Speers. One of the girls, a mere tot, is just recovering from injuries received some time ago at Eighth street when she was struck by an automobile.

## Classified Ads

WANTED—Lady stenographer. Must have good hand writing. Address 268 Mail office. 48-11

WANTED—A maid for general housework. Apply at 409 Lincoln avenue. 49-11

WANTED—Boy, 11 years of age and over. Good wages. Short hours. Steady employment. Factory starts in full Friday, Sept. 12. Apply at factory, foot of Tenth street, Charleroi. Imperial Glass company. 49-14

WANTED—3 rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Call at City Grocery, Fifth and Washington avenue. 52-12

WANTED—Children's sewing. Mrs. Speers, Bell phone 48W, Charleroi. 52-15

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 403 Lincoln avenue. 52-12

WANTED—For dancing class in Charleroi. Pianist, violinist, saxophonist. Winter season. 30 weekly engagements. J. V. Sexton, Sipe street, N. S., Pittsburg, Pa. 53-11

FOR RENT—Large, light airy front room. Suitable for one or two gentlemen, 519 Washington. 50-13p

FOR SALE—Small farm at bargain to quick buyer. Charleroi Real Estate Agency, Ross Building, 411 McKean avenue. 46-11

FOR SALE—Household furniture at private sale Tuesday Sept. 16 between 1 and 2 o'clock. All household furniture to be sold. Mrs. D. F. Mathers, Lock No. 4, Pa. 53-12p

FOR SALE—Motorcycle. Cheap for cash. First class shape. C. H. Rauschenberg, Coyle Theatre. 53-12

LOST—Between Second street, Charleroi and Monessen, filled stamp book and merchants S. and H. pad. Finder will receive reward by returning to G. T. Barger. 52-11

### EXECUTIVE CONTROLLER

TODD AT HOME TO VOTE

State Executive Controller Samuel C. Todd, of Harrisburg, is here with Mrs. Todd to visit over Sunday with friends. They will remain until after Todd having come home to vote. Todd having come home to vote.

See the season's latest in millinery, Spidell's opening Sept. 17 and 18, 403 McKean avenue. 53-15

## AMONG THE THEATRES

### THE STAR-CHARLEROI.

Laugh Day, which happened to be Wednesday at the Star theatre was rich in comedies that made up a most spicy program and added to the exceptionally good program of this week. Manager Tom B. Cowan on this date had as his leading features "Tell Tale Light," "Foreign Spy" by the American Film company and "The Wager." On Thursday "The Banishment" a Kaybee drama in two reels telling a story of patriotism was featured. Also on Thursday Mutual Weekly, No. 28, showing illustrations of occurrences that the general public reads about every day was an attractive film. Earlier in the week on Tuesday, the Thanhouser picture "Crepe Bonnet," "The Toy" a Majestic film and "Train on Fire" a Lux film were among the good pictures. On Saturday "Truth in the Wilderness," is scheduled. Manager Tom B. Cowan who formerly operated the Star, having just taken over the popular picture house is conducting it after his usual up-to-the-minute method and it has been noticeable that the crowds have been growing. He carefully selects his picture service. From this time forth he will conduct the Star together with his theatres in Monongahela, Donora and Monessen. Independent film service is used with most interesting pictures as the result.

### LYRIC-CHARLEROI

"Back to the Primitive," a Lubin drama, "The Rise and Fall of McDoo," a Biography comedy and "The Missionary's Triumph" a Pathe drama, are the three features the Lyric theatre will show today. All the pictures are virtually headliners and taken as a whole they constitute a remarkably good program.

### ALVIN-PITTSBURG.

On Monday evening, Sept. 15th, there will be revealed at the Alvin Theatre, Pittsburg, a play that has marked a new field of endeavor in theatricals. It is "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which is being sent on tour this season by Winthrop Ames who produced it in his dainty "Little Theatre," West Forty-fourth street, New York, last winter where it delighted the children, whose amusement Mr. Ames had in mind when presenting it. Philadelphia is the only city outside of Manhattan, that has so far been privileged to witness this singularly charming play.

### PITT-PITTSBURG.

Beginning next Monday afternoon, during the week of September 15, the Pitt Players will present at the Pitt theatre in Pittsburg for the first time in stock, Marian Fairfax's de-



# GOT 9 Cents?

THEN SPEND IT NOW

## OUR GREAT 9 CENT SALE AND SEASON WIND UP

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12, SATURDAY, SEPT. 13, MONDAY, SEPT. 15, TUESDAY, SEPT. 16

Only Four Days Selling Extraordinary Nine Cent Values and the Final Cuts on Summer Goods. Come Early and Get Your Share.

Its the final wind up sale on all summer articles and the price cutting knife has cut into the prices very deep--the last and heaviest cuts are made for these four days only--Prices cut awfully on summer wearables. Special reduction rule all over the store, but we hold these prices only while the stock lasts.

## 9 Cents

- Will buy 12c and 15c Silkaline during this sale.
- Will buy our best 12 1-2c dress Gingham.
- Will buy 15c colored Draperies during this sale.
- Will buy a bleached Turkish Towel 20 dozen go at this price.
- Will buy you a fringed linen Towel. Only three dozen to sell.
- Will buy plain Four-In-Hand Ties during this sale.
- Will buy Men's knit Four-In-Hand Ties.
- Will buy one yard of very pretty Ribbon, extra wide, several colors.
- Will buy a Baby all over Apron, only one dozen to sell.
- Will buy a good big Comb 8 1-2 inches either black or white.
- Will buy a Childs Beaded Purse during this sale.
- Will buy 3 school Tablets, an extra bargain at this time.
- Will buy 15c Baby hose in blue, pink brown and other colors.
- Will buy Children's colored Hosiery with 25c slightly soiled.
- Will buy Children's school Hose, good quality all sizes.
- Will buy Children's odd Vests and Pants, worth from 15c to 25c.
- Will buy a card of Fancy Buttons, worth more than double.

Special sale of Middy and Balkan Blouses. \$1.00 values, Clearance price .57c  
Special value in White Lawn Waists \$1.00 value .67c  
One lot Waists specially reduced to .95c  
One lot light colored House Dresses, were \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50, Sale price .73c

## Wash Dresses Reduced

Wash Dresses simply must go. The knife goes in deeper than ever. It's your last chance to make savings. One big lot of dresses for our last cut price sale. Further reduced from \$2.98 and \$1.95 to sale price . . . \$1.35

## 9 Cents

- Will buy very pretty Handkerchiefs, worth 12 1-2 and 15c.
- Will buy a very pretty pin Cushion, only three dozen.
- Will buy a Box of Talcum, three dozen only.
- Will buy two felt covered, noiseless slates, 120 only, two to a customer.
- Will buy a double noiseless slate during this sale.
- Will buy a whisk broom, velvet trim, only 24 of these.
- Will buy a feather duster, only 12 of these.
- Will buy a Blue Bird Bar Pin. The latest fad.
- Will buy a Bracelet that is Bendable, has imitation watch, only 24.
- Will buy a Pencil Box for school children. 12 only on sale.
- Will buy a 16 oz Bottle of Peroxide, great big value, 48 to sell.
- Will buy a snap shot Album. Big value, 24 to sell.
- Will buy 3 packages of paper Napkins, put up in envelopes.
- Will buy a pair of good Black Ladies Hose.
- Will buy 2 Infants Vests, very special.
- Will buy 3 rolls of our 5c Toilet Paper.
- Will buy one pair of Men's suspenders.

### Special Purchase in Ladies' Suits

When on our last buying trip to New York we were able to make some exceptional Suit purchases for spot cash and we are going to sell them to you on the same low basis. We consider them the best suits for little money we've ever brought to the town. These came in black, blue, green, brown and some mixtures and fancies. Neatly tailored and trimmed. There are two particular lots and the special prices are

\$13.75 and \$16.75

Handsome Suits, splendid value. Only during these four days and then they go at their regular prices. The newest of these suits for a quick sale.

NINE CENTS WILL DO WONDERS here on these four days. We have goodly quantities but there will be a rush for some of these splendid bargains, so come the first day if possible. Closing out all summer goods at the heaviest cuts of the season. Don't overlook the importance of the special sale items in wearables.

## J. W. BERRYMAN & SON

Fifth and McKean

Charleroi's Live Store

Charleroi, Pa.

## IMPROVEMENTS ARE MONUMENTS

(Continued from First Page.)

begin employment with the W. H. Hamilton Bottle company, having secured a responsible position at the local factory. He was located with this company in all 27 years, or until the time that the company closed its plant in Charleroi.

For some years after coming here, Capt. Hein was a "private" in the ranks. He took a deep interest in borough affairs and in view of this fact was called upon to make the run for council. Elected to one term he was influenced to make the run the second time and was again elected, and after that was still elected again, proving his good standing as a man of affairs and above all as an able councilman.

During four years that were the most productive in public improvements in the history of Charleroi, cut man and a good citizen. What

Capt. Hein was president of council. This was the year when the streets were made beautiful through extensive paving. So much was done for the town during that period that re-counting of deeds would be difficult. Capt. Hein helped to secure the improvement of a large majority of the streets of Charleroi, to say nothing of his endeavors to obtain the very best water service and the very best sewerage system. No one who has been familiar with the workings of council during the last ten years doubts Capt. Hein, for they know him and his labors.

That Capt. Hein will make a good burgess for the borough, if elected, there is not the shadow of a doubt. To meet him and to talk with him for five minutes convinces one of that fact, so many are the qualities apparent. But going back over his record is absolute and undeniable proof. It is understood that the Captain invites inspection of his record and he would certainly not do this were he not confident of results.

Everybody knows him as a clean-cut man and a good citizen. What

more could be desired?  
5211 ONE WHO KNOWS.

## LOVER

Frank Harrison and Samuel Hopewell spent Sunday at the home of Jesse Murphy of West Pike Run.

Curt Pithzer and family spent Sunday with friends at Charleroi.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Bonnell of near Warren, Ohio are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

William Allman is ill of quinsy. Mrs. Frank Harrison of near Rogers school house spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Mrs. Lacy Murphy of West Pike Run who was visiting her sons, Jas. and William Murphy of Charleroi, has returned home.

The condition of Mrs. Hiram Hannan who is ill remains about the same. Miss Marie Carson who underwent an operation at the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg last week is improving as well as could be expected.

A large crowd attended a party at the home of Paul Hugas Thursday evening.

## AMONG THE THEATRES

### THE COYLE-CHARLEROI.

A comedy, "A New Way to Win a Girl" was a feature at the Coyle theatre on Wednesday of this week. There were several other comedies during the week of interest among them being "The Crook Question," "Theodora" a Warner film was a picture detailing a Roman tragedy on Thursday night. Among the dramas were "The Trail of the Serpent," an Imp; "Campaigning with Caesar," "Mating," "Man's Duty," and "The Snaler," a two-ree picture.

### THE PALACE-CHARLEROI

How a newly married couple tried to plan and provide good living and an enjoyable life for an aged couple, the parents of the young man, and how they failed through adopting present day methods when the old fashioned couple preferred to live in an old fashioned way, was told this week in a picture play at the Palace theatre, "Home Sweet Home." The conclusion of the drama pictures the old couple happy in their old home, the younger ones having "seen the light." The production was a two-reel Lubin. "The Sixth Commandment" was an interesting Vitagraph drama presented on Monday night. "The Intruder," a most entertaining love tale was produced on Wednesday in two reels. On Saturday Manager Barnhart has booked a three-reel special, "The Mansion of Aching Hearts." Decorating has been started at the Palace to put the theatre in shape for the beginning of the fall vaudeville season on October 2. The interior of the theatre will be decorated with a pretty combined color effect, in which cream and sky blue with gold trimming will predominate. Manager Barnhart is planning to secure only the very best in vaudeville this season.

### LYRIC-CHARLEROI

That they might have time to reform the town a man and his wife entirely neglected their home with the result that their son started towards a drunkards' grave, and their daughter fell. Their reform intentions were good but they failed to obey the proverb to "begin at home." This is in brief the story told in one of the most interesting pictures of the entire week at the Lyric theatre, "The Reformers." It occupied the boards with the Pathe Weekly on Wednesday night. The Pathe Weekly was a complete reproduction in picture of the numerous happenings from all parts of the world. "By Unseen Hands," a two part detective story was one of the features the fore part of the week, Friday night's show is to be "Broncho Bill," and "The Navajo Maid," and by special request the famous Selig wild animal picture "Alone in the Jungle" will be shown. Manager Penman has booked one of the most famous Bible pictures ever produced, "From Manager to the Cross" for production on October 20 and 21. Acted in Palestine and in Egypt this Kalem picture is one of the most realistic and has been seen and approved not only by the people generally, but by hundreds of ministers who have seen it.

## COUNTY ENGINEERS RUSHED BY WORK

The civil engineers employed by the Washington county commissioners are unusually busy at present, their presence being required frequently at the points in the county, where road improvement is in progress and at several bridge sites where abutments are being constructed and other work is being carried on. The commissioners' office is a busy place at present where upwards of 30 clerks are kept employed, some from early morning until late at night in the preparation of ballots for the primary election of next Tuesday.

## PHILLIPS FAMILY TO HOLD REUNION

The twelfth annual reunion of the descendants of Joseph and Mary Phillips who settled in Chester county in 1755 and whose four sons served as officers throughout the Revolutionary War, will be held Saturday at the Peters Creek Baptist Church, Library, where the eldest son, David Phillips, served as pastor for over 40 years. The Phillips family is one of the oldest and largest in Western Pennsylvania and it is expected several hundred members will attend the reunion. The Phillips family of Charleroi are descendants of these people and will probably attend the reunion.

The fall fads and fancies, Stewart's millinery opening Saturday, 417 Fallowfield avenue. 52-12

## CHARLEROI HIGH FOOTBALL MEN HARD AT WORK

With eight of last year's team as a nucleus and with a number of heavy freshmen from which to pick, the Charleroi high school football team has bright prospects this fall. Coach S. R. Grim, late of Washington and Jefferson has started practice with 20 candidates on hands and daily is giving the aspirants for places hard drilling. This fall's schedule will contain games with some of the best high schools and preparatory schools in the entire Western Pennsylvania section.

The eight from last year's team that will go to make up the bulk of this fall's organization are: Stahlman, E. Lowstuter, Hugas, Wagner, Gaut, Malcolm, Speers and Smith. Pollock and H. Carson, also of last year's team will be available.

Among the new ones that are trying out for places on the team are Dolan, E. Wagner, Richey and Jeffries. Among the first games will probably be one with the Washington high school on the Charleroi field.

## HORMELL FAMILY REUNES

(Continued from First Page)

John, Jr. William died in 1827. John Hormell, Sr., the original owner of the land left no lineal descendants.

John Hormell, Jr., was born in 1801 and obtained the old homestead by purchase. He was still living on the place in 1882 at the time of his death. Two of his younger sons, Robert and Nathan, enlisted September 5, 1861 in Company H. of the 7th Pennsylvania cavalry. Robert served until September 1865 and Nathan obtained his discharge April 30, 1862. Both were married and left lineal descendants.

At the first reunion on Thursday there were two daughters and one son of John Hormell present, they being the oldest living members of the Hormell family. They are Mrs. Katherine Wolfe of Centerville, Mrs. Mary Brock, of Smock, and Harrison H. Hormell of Brownsville.

The Hormell family is essentially a Washington county family, and more of the connection are located in this county than in any other locality. Many live in Fayette county, Westmoreland and Allegheny counties contain several of the name and a few live in Ohio. Quite a number live in the west.

Those present from Charleroi were: John T. Hormell and family, R. L. Hormell and family, Mrs. Mary E. Moffitt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hormell, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Moffitt, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Palmer, D. R. Hormell and family, Mrs. Margaret Hormell and daughter.

## CORONER HEFFRAN SENDS TRANSCRIPTS TO WESTMORELAND

Coroner James T. Heffran has sent the transcript and a copy of the recommendations in the death of John Juglar of Webster to District Attorney W. T. Dom, of Westmoreland county, where Frank Juglar, a brother of the dead man is under arrest. It is believed that Juglar met death as a result of injuries inflicted by an assailant with intent to kill.

## YOUNG LADIES' CIRCLE ENJOYS A CORN ROAST

A most delightful evening was spent by the members of the Young Ladies Missionary Circle of the Washington avenue Presbyterian church, Thursday evening when they held a corn roast on the F. V. Kinder farm, a short distance from town. Thirty members of the circle together with as many friends were in attendance, chaperoned by Miss Elizabeth Elliott. The corn was roasted to perfection as was also the good things that accompany such an event and at the conclusion an entertaining program of music and recitation was enjoyed.

Mrs. V. P. Stewart will show a distinctive line of fall hats at her Millinery opening, Saturday, September 18th, 417 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 52-12

## Classified Ads

WANTED--Lady stenographer. Must have good hand writing. Address 268 Mail office. 48-1f

WANTED--A maid for general housework. Apply at 409 Lincoln avenue. 49-1f

WANTED--Boys 14 years of age and over. Good wages. Short hours. Steady employment. Factory starts in full Friday, Sept. 12. Apply at factory, foot of Tenth street, Charleroi. Imperial Glass company. 49-14

WANTED--3 rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Call at City Grocery, Fifth and Washington avenue. 52-12

WANTED--Children's sewing, Mrs. Speers, Bell phone 43W, Charleroi. 52-15

WANTED--A girl for general housework. Apply 403 Lincoln avenue. 52-12

FOR RENT--Large, light airy front room. Suitable for one or two gentlemen. 519 Washington. 59-13p

FOR SALE--Small farm at bargain to quick buyer. Charleroi. Real Estate Agency, Ross Building. 411 McKean avenue. 56-1f

LOST--Between Second street, Charleroi and Monessen, filled stamp book and merchants S. and H. pad. Finder will receive reward by returning to G. T. Barger. 52-11

## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Misses Anna Bukrop and Nettie Leisman of Louisville, Ky., who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bruckner, of Washington a venue left this morning for Indianapolis, where they will spend a few days with the latter's sister, Mrs. George Krasszig. From there they will return to their home in Louisville.

Mrs. C. R. Newcomer and baby, Emily are visiting in Brownsville with relatives.

Mrs. S. J. Richardson went to McKeesport today to visit with friends.

Rev. B. N. Axmacher was a visitor in Pittsburg Thursday evening.

The funeral occurred this afternoon of Philippine Cerezo, aged seven months, infant child of Mrs. Philippine Cerezo of 728 Fallowfield avenue. Death was due to pneumonia.

Miss Lulu Trew is expected home this evening after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hunt in Uniontown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McKean have returned home after a visit with his brother A. C. McKean in Cleveland.

A number of Charleroi young people attended the dance given at Eldora park Thursday evening by the Alumni association of the Monongahela high school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hormell of Youngstown, Ohio, were here for the reunion of the Hormell family Thursday and will visit until Sunday with friends.

## NORTH CHARLEROI

Mrs. Clyde Plenniken and daughter Miss Helen have returned home after visiting relatives at Greensburg.

Miss Eleanor Minnigen has returned to Pittsburg.

Miss Mary Clonan of Monongahela was a caller here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rockwell and children have left for Los Angeles, Cal., after visiting the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rockwell. Mrs. John Pinyerd has gone to Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Paxton of Harrisburg are visiting at the home of their son, Carl Paxton.

Mrs. A. G. Watters and children, left Thursday for Rices Landing after visiting with Mrs. Jacob Gulantz and Mrs. Albert Strauser.

Mrs. W. F. Hagerly spent Friday in Pittsburg.

Miss Margaret Minnigen of Pittsburg is visiting Mrs. Henry Sadelle. Jasper Rockwell has gone to Kentucky.

Mrs. J. C. Bryson and Mrs. William Craft spent Thursday in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Jasper Rockwell attended the exposition in Pittsburg.



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## SIX ON REPUBLICAN BALLOT FOR COUNCIL

**Specimen Sheets Show  
Where Fight Will be  
Centered**

### THREE ON FOR BURGESS

**Advantage of Position Goes  
to Frye-County Candidates  
Are Named**

On the Republican ballot to be voted upon next Tuesday will appear three names for burgess, four for tax collector, three for school director and six for council. These are the important borough offices to be filled. Only one name will appear for assessor. In the county offices for county controller will appear the one name, T. J. Underwood and J. C. Sutherland will be the only name to appear for the nomination for recorder of deeds. For director of the poor there will be two contestants, R. C. Buchanan of Washington and George E. Adams of Washington. J. Warren Vankirk of South Franklin will be the only candidate for jury commissioner, there being but one to vote upon and Joseph A. Herron of Monongahela will be the only candidate for member of the state committee, with only one to vote upon.

So far as the placing of names is concerned in the fight for burgess Charles O. Frye will have a decided advantage, coming first. The movement to have his name on the ticket was a movement of his friends and he is not even doing any personal work. Capt. John K. Hein, ex-president of council comes second and R. J. Whitehead, who is sure of a large vote whether he gets the nomination or not, comes third. I. R. Blythe comes first in the list for tax collector, Fred W. Brady second, Taylor Foreman third and John W. Mathias fourth. For school director, H. J. Booth is first, J. M. Hill and Lee Showers third.

W. H. Calvert secures the advantage of position in the council contest with D. R. Hyrmel second. Rodrick S. Moody is third, F. P. McCloskey, follows him, with Charles S. VanVoorhis and Charles W. Weltner completing the list.

The Republicans have failed to get any names on the ticket for auditor, so candidates for this place will have to be voted for by the "sticker" system.

## SOMETHING TO BE REMEMBERED

Rod S. Moody is a Republican candidate for Council. He is not following the lead of some of the other aspirants of the same party in making an open political fight for the nomination and I feel that his qualifications are such that he should be brought to the attention of the Republican voters.

He is an electrician by trade and has had special experience in electric lighting. He has had considerable experience in civil engineering, paving work, sewer work, and building in general and his knowledge along these lines is such that he would be of valuable assistance in borough work.

He is a property owner having re-

## Reception Tendered

**Forty-Seventh Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Paxton Remembered**

Samuel B. Paxton, of California, who is now connected with the State Department at Harrisburg, and Mrs. Paxton were tendered a reception at the Paxton home in California by their children and grand children on Friday night. The affair was in honor of their 47th wedding anniversary. Twenty-seven were present at the affair. The couple was presented with a fine reading lamp.

Those from Charleroi who were present at the affair were: J. D. Barryman and family, W. H. Atkins and family and Carl Paxton and family.

## TO BOOST BOND PLAN FOR ROADS

**Members of Automobile  
Clubs to Visit Har-  
risburg**

### CONCERNS BIG ISSUE

To boost the \$50,000,000 good roads amendment is the object of a gathering of good roads advocates who will assemble in Harrisburg next Thursday. The Belle Vernon Automobile club is making extensive arrangements to attend the convention and it is understood that a number of Charleroi enthusiasts will also make the trip as well as a representation from the other towns in the valley. All will display pennants on their machines to designate their home community.

The object of the trip is to join with the good roads boosters from all over the state in the hope of as far as possible separating the amendments from politics. It will be voted upon at the November election and the boosters want to get it as far from a political issue as possible.

The greatest opposition to the amendment is coming from the farmers of the state and the fact that they will be greatly benefited from the construction of this net work of model roads makes their position one hard to understand.

cently built the house he lives in at the corner of Seventh street and Fallowfield avenue.

He is what is generally called a "clean cut" man and I am sure is just the kind of a councilman the citizens want.

53-11 A Friend of Rod S. Moody.

## ITALY SUBJECT OF STUDY THIS YEAR BY ATHENE CLUB

**Charleroi Organization Issues Program Booklet for Season—First Meeting to be Held on October 3**

"Italy" is the subject that will be taken up for study during the club year of 1913-1914 by the Athene club of Charleroi. The handsome year book has just been completed and issued and the members are arranging for the first meeting, which will be held on Friday October 3, with Mrs. A. R. Mountsier. The club year extends from that date to April 24, when the club will be the guests of Mrs. T. M. Faddis for the final meeting.

The program committee consisting of Mrs. A. R. Mountsier, Mrs. E. C. Niver and Mrs. A. O. Davis, has put forth an extra effort in compiling the year's program and a review of it shows that every salient feature of the Sunny Island has been given notice in keeping with its prominence in the Italian affairs. Sicily is the subject of a meeting as are also Naples, Pompeii, Rome and Ancient Rome. The church is handled as is also the life of the people, their social welfare and other interesting Italian conditions.

The annual reciprocity meeting will be held on December 12 and on February 12 a sealed program will be carried out.

The program in its entirety is most interesting and on the page devoted

to each meeting is an appropriate thought from a celebrated Italian. The book is printed on handsome deckle-edge paper and encased in a cover of brown linen embossed with the club emblem in gold. It is a product of the Mail office.

The Athene club is one of the important women's organizations of the Pittsburgh district and its object is the study of art, literature and science. Its membership is limited to thirty and meetings are held on alternate Fridays throughout the club year.

The officers of the Athene club are: President, Mrs. Thomas G. Brown; first vice president, Mrs. Edward C. Niver; second vice president, Mrs. T. M. Faddis; recording secretary, Mrs. E. E. Piper; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George W. Cooper and treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Mountsier.

The committees for the year are: Program, Mrs. A. R. Mountsier; music, Mrs. George Cooper; Mrs. E. E. Piper; Mrs. J. Clive Enos; social, Mrs. Edwin McKay; Mrs. T. M. Faddis; Mrs. V. P. Stewart; Mrs. F. P. McCloskey; Miss Elizabeth Hastings.

## THOMAS IS LODGED IN JAIL; PROTESTS HE IS NOT SLAYER

**Young Farm Hand Will Face Accusation of Murder of Mrs. Price at Hearing to be Given First of the Week**

The heavy doors of the Greene county jail have closed behind Walter Thomas the young man who is accused of the murder of Mrs. Josephine Price and the injuring of her twelve year old granddaughter, Bertha Fox at Rices Landing on the morning of September 2. The prisoner claims that he is innocent of the crime, but his state now rests with the court and its jury.

Thomas who was captured Thursday evening on the road between Wheeling and Washington by the dead woman's husband and son, was lodged in the Washington county jail over night and Friday morning was taken to Waynesburg. As soon as the news of his coming reached the Greene county capital a crowd started to gather and when the automobile with the prisoner and his two captors arrived a crowd of several hundred people were waiting for them. The crowd was orderly and no demonstration of any kind was made. He was taken before District Attorney Huss, where he told his story of the crime.

The prisoner stated that he was forced to leave the house several times during the night, owing to illness and when he left the last time it was two o'clock. He stated that he had to go into Mrs. Price's room to get the lantern and when he returned to the house at four o'clock he went to the room to return the lantern and found the woman and her granddaughter covered with blood. This so frightened him, he said, that he dashed to the barn secured a horse and left, fearing that he would be accused of the crime. The story of his whereabouts and actions from that time are now well known.

After turning their prisoner over to the county officials the Prices left at once for their home at Rices Landing satisfied that the law would take its course and that justice would be done.

Announcement	Vogel's Band Here
Baldt and Hiliare will open their new millinery store at 317 Fifth street on September 20. Souvenirs will be given. 49-10	John A. Vogel's minstrel band came to town this morning and rendered some first class music. The Vogel show appears at Monessen this evening. It was in Monongahela last night.
Attend our opening Wednesday and Thursday and see what is smart in millinery—Spidell's. 53-15	The fall fads and fancies, Stewart's millinery opening today. 417 Fallowfield avenue. 52-12
Miss Elizabeth Bell has gone to Uniontown to visit friends.	

## BELL TELEPHONE MEN START WORK ON CABLE

**Car Service  
Seems Sure**

**Bentleyville Line Being Put  
Through by the Westside  
Company**

That street car service between Charleroi and the prosperous Pigeon Creek valley is to be a realization at the earliest possible date, is evidenced by the activity the West Side Street Railway company is putting forth on the work at the present time. Already three miles of track is constructed and in use and four additional miles have been graded and are ready for the tracking. It is estimated that a year will be required to complete the work.

The establishing of this line means much to Charleroi, it will also give access to Monessen and Velle Vernon.

## TO STOP THEATRE CROWDING

**State Department Asks  
the Assistance of  
Managers**

### STATEMENT GIVEN OUT

John Price Jackson, commissioner of the state department of labor and commerce has appointed a board to formulate a set of regulations tending to safeguard the patrons of theatres and other places of amusement. The most important rule will be one prohibiting the crowding of aisles and exits.

The department in a statement says:

"Pending the report of this board, the commissioner desires to warn all owners and lessees of places of amusement of the danger of permitting congestion in aisles and exits, to refuse admission after seats are filled, and to permit no patrons to stand during any performance who in the least block aisles or entrances. By voluntarily co-operating with the department in this manner the danger of a serious panic will be averted. "The law in case of accident by fire holds owners directly responsible for death or injury."

### GOVERNOR COMING HOME TO VOTE NEXT TUESDAY

As is his usual custom Governor John K. Tener will return to Charleroi to vote at the primary election on Tuesday. He spent Friday clearing up important matters at the capitol and left this morning for home. He will likely stop in Pittsburgh over Sunday.

Attend our opening Stewart's millinery today, 417 Fallowfield. 52-12

**Preliminaries Toward  
Improving Service Un-  
der Way**

### FIRST WIRES STRUNG

**Cable to be Completed to  
Monongahela by First of  
December**

Workmen of the Bell Telephone company are engaged in constructing a messenger cable line between Charleroi and Monongahela, which, it is understood, is the first step in what is expected to be the inauguration of better service for this immediate community. Technically speaking the line being strung is a messenger cable but speaking for the enlightenment of the public it is the line which will support a toll cable which will contain many additional wires. The toll cable is attached to the messenger cable and it is expected to relieve the present congested condition.

The workmen under Foreman Jas. Gallagher are making good progress with their work and will have the messenger line constructed in a short time. Then will come the work of stringing the heavy trunk cable.

As was stated at a meeting of the Charleroi Business Men's association some time ago the construction of this line the company predicts will materially benefit local subscribers. Where at present the lines between these two important points are open and exposed to all weather conditions etc., the new line will be enclosed in the heavy cable. This will be equipped with the famous Pupin loading coils and will be the last thing in modern telephone construction. Superintendent Burwell of the Central District Telephone company stated to a representative of the Mail that the company hopes to have this work completed by December 1. In the meantime no delay will be experienced in changing the system. The new line will not be opened until it is entirely completed and the old system will not be cut off in any respect until the new one is completed. The general public anxiously awaits the installation of this new service which spells local relief.

## VISITS FORMER HOME FOR FIRST TIME IN YEARS

After an absence of 72 years, Isaac Yunkers of Trumbull county Ohio, returned this week for a visit at the scene of his boyhood days, in Bentleyville. When he left the Pigeon Creek valley, Bentleyville was a hamlet of a half dozen houses located on either side of the old Pittsburgh and Morgantown pike and when he returned it was necessary to point out to him the town of his birth. Hardly anything remains of what was Bentleyville three score and twelve years ago and Mr. Yunkers was the veritable stranger in a strange land.

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**LOCAL AGENCIES**  
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Eminent lawyers have gathered in  
Canada of late and have discussed  
the dignity of the law in all of its  
phases. It was really quite laughable  
considering the fact that right be-  
neath their noses Canada was given  
an exhibition of the administration of  
the law in its most undignified phase  
according to the Philadelphia In-  
quirer.

The brief stay of Harry Thaw in  
Canada seems to have upset the Do-  
minion completely. The world has  
been treated to a series of perform-  
ances—a legal nightmare, it might be  
termed, in the lingo of vaudeville—  
such as might have been looked for,  
perhaps, in the Fiji Islands, but  
hardly in an intelligent and progres-  
sive colony of Great Britain. Thaw  
entered Canada and was arrested. He  
resorted to habeas corpus proceedings  
to get him out of jail, but finding  
that he was in danger of falling into  
the hands of the immigration officials  
he withdrew them. Next, the con-  
stable who arrested him resorted to  
habeas corpus without the contest of  
Thaw and actually against his wishes.  
The marvelous decision was that the  
constable was legally in the right.  
Thaw was set free over the protests  
of his lawyers, and immediately the  
immigration officers grabbed him.  
They ordered his deportation, but a  
restraining order was issued from the  
courts at Montreal. Now of a sudden  
high authority overrides the courts,  
just waives them aside as of no ac-  
count whatever, and the immigration  
officials are told to rush Thaw over  
the border into Vermont in spite of  
law or courts or anything else.

The whole thing, from the legal  
standpoint, is very much on a par  
with the Jerome poker incident. Jer-  
ome was caught gambling in public—  
passing the time away playing cards  
in an automobile near a railway sta-  
tion. The justice of the peace who  
held him in jail was outwitted in  
his denunciations of Jerome; declared  
that he would make Jerome pay the  
penalty to the full, which was a year's  
jail in jail. Shortly there boots to  
the surface a magistrate of the  
unfettered who ranks above the  
law and who in turn denounces  
the justice of the peace. The magis-  
trate is a man of the law, and the  
justice of the peace is a man of the  
law.

of the underling, holds court, dis-  
charges the prisoner and abjectly  
apologizes for the annoyance given  
him. Triumphant Jerome walks  
forth a free man. As far as the  
arrest was the hearing—or trial.  
If Thaw has accomplished nothing  
else during his Canadian outing he  
has held up the laws of Canada to  
ridicule—or, rather, the administra-  
tion of them. There has been noth-  
ing but trickery and deception on  
both sides, with a forcible ejection of  
Canada's undesirable guest for a  
windup of the legal vaudeville.  
From it all only one man emerges  
with—what shall we call it, notoriety,  
fame, reputation?—and that is Pen-  
ny-Ante Jerome, whose dubious ap-  
pellation is likely to linger with him  
for a long time to come.

**SUFFER IN SILENCE**  
In the matter of bearing pain stoic-  
ally and suffering in silence, man may  
be said to learn from the lower  
animals. Expecting no sympathy, an  
animal makes no effort to excite it,  
but generally accepts with apparent  
gratitude any efforts to alleviate his  
distress.

One of the most pathetic things is  
the manner in which the human  
animal endures suffering, says a writer  
in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Take  
horses, for instance, in battle. After  
the first shock of a wound they make  
no sound. They bear the pain with a  
mute, wondering endurance, and if at  
last you hear a wild groan from the  
battlefield it comes from their lips.  
In their loss of their human com-  
pensation which seems absolutely in-  
dispensable to the comfort of domestic-  
ated animals.

The dog will carry a broken leg for  
days wistfully but uncomplainingly.  
The cat stricken with sickness or  
caught in some trap from which it  
knows its way to freedom crawls to  
the nearest place and bears its pain  
which we could not endure.  
Sheep and cattle meet the thrust of  
the butcher's knife without a sound  
and even common poultry endure in-  
tolable agony without complaint.

The dove shot unto death, flies to  
some far-off bog and as it dies the  
silence is unbroken save the patter  
in the leaves of its own life blood.  
The wounded deer speeds to some  
thick brake and in pitiful submission  
waits for death.  
The eagle struck in mid-air, fights  
to the last against the fatal un-  
demon. There is no moan or sound of  
pain, and the defiant look never fades  
from its eye until the lids close them-  
selves to uncover again.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Of course the people are to be  
given to understand, as usual, that  
the football rules this fall make the  
game a whole lot safer to play.

It keeps some men busy remember-  
ing just which party they switched  
to last.

The man who is always busy talk-  
ing about himself has at least the  
quality of being less harmless than  
the man who is always talking about  
somebody else.

We respectively refer the man who  
asked "what is coal for" to the man  
that charges 10 cents per bushel for  
it.

Thaw has found out where he is  
not wanted, and that is at least  
something.

Fate is reasonable after all. Just  
at the time when the price of meat  
is going out of sight along comes the  
announcement that meat has the qual-  
ity of killing us before our time.

All is sympathy with the girl that  
didn't want to go home when home  
was Monessen.

Let the man who has been used  
to starting a balky horse by building  
a fire under him apply the same meth-  
od for starting a balky automobile,  
and see if he isn't surprised at re-  
sults.

It really matters little how Huerta's  
name is pronounced when we are  
tired of both him and his name.

When Walter Thomas was being  
taken to jail at Washington, he was  
in process of being caught in another  
country, and being chased in another  
country.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING AUTOMOBILE

Proud of the advancement his son  
had made at a certain Pennsylvania  
university, a Monongahela valley man  
was disclaiming to a group of  
friends some of the fine things about  
his son.

"Is he getting along all right at  
school?" one asked.  
"Yes, indeed, he is," he replied the  
fond father. "Why, that boy is one  
of the brightest fellows you ever saw.  
He just got his papers today showing  
where he had passed the refreshment  
class and was promoted."

According to a Monessen physician,  
relates the Friday Evening Call there  
is nothing healthier for a school boy  
or school girl to eat than apples.  
"Do you know what you are eat-  
ing?" asked the doctor of a citizen  
who was contentedly munching an  
apple.

"An apple, of course," he replied.  
"You are eating," said the doctor,  
"albumen, sugar, gum, lactic acid,  
cellulose, fiber, water and phos-  
phorus."

"I hope those things are good. They  
sound alarming."

"Nothing could be better. You are  
perhaps, rather too much meat at  
dinner. The malic acid of apples  
neutralizes the excess of chyle, mak-  
ing it easier to digest. It thereby helps  
to keep you young. Apples are good  
for your complexion. Their acids drive  
out the noxious matters of retained  
bile. Moreover, the acids of the apple  
stimulate the activity of the stomach  
that comes with some forms of in-  
digestion. The phosphorus, of which  
apples contain a larger percentage  
than any other fruit or vegetable, re-  
news the essential nervous matter of  
the brain and spinal column. O, the  
ancients were not wrong when they  
esteemed the apple the food of the  
gods—the magic renewer of youth.  
I think I'll have an apple," concluded  
the doctor.

## TELEPHONE MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED BY STATE COMMISSION

An announcement was made today  
that the Public Service Commission  
would give a hearing on September  
123 in the telephone schedule which  
it has proposed for the state. It is  
probable that the final objections will  
be heard then and the commission  
take up consideration of the argu-  
ments against it.

The commission also announced  
that a hearing would be held in Oc-  
tober in the matter of five contracts  
of municipalities with public service  
corporations, the law requiring that  
hearings be held before such con-  
tracts are approved.

## NO DATE SET FOR OPENING OF THE B. & N. RAILROAD

No definite time for the operation  
of the Buckhannon and Northern line  
has yet been set and the persons in  
the towns touched by the new line are  
asking questions about the cause of  
the delay. Nothing has ever been  
done regarding the freight or passen-  
ger rates and that seems to be in-  
dication that the time for the opening  
of the new road is far distant.

Major S. D. Brady, chief engineer  
of the Buckhannon & Northern rail-  
road at Morgantown, stated this week  
that he had no information as to the  
freight tariffs, or instructions as to  
the inauguration of traffic over the  
new railroad. The matter of freight  
rates, he said, was handled through  
the Pittsburgh offices.

Colonel J. M. Schoonmaker, lead-  
ing spirit in the Little Giant's in-  
vasion of this section, is still enjoy-  
ing the scenes in the Fatherland and  
is not expected back in Pittsburgh for  
a month yet. In railroad circles, it  
is unofficially reported that there is  
not likely to be much doing until the  
colonel's return.

High officials of the Buckhannon  
and Northern railroad in Fairmont let  
it be known that bias would be asked  
for within a short time for the ex-  
tension of the line into Fairmont. It  
is the plan to have the bids tabulated  
and ready for Colonel Schoonmaker  
to act upon on his return from Europe  
about the middle of October. Before  
work can be started on the extension  
however, it is necessary for the Fair-  
mont city council to pass upon the  
railroad company's application for a  
right of way.

Others. Not even a man with a pleas-  
ing personality like William Travers  
Jerome could beat that.

## LICENSE LAW TO BE TESTED

It is understood a test case will be  
instituted in a few days by Attorney  
General Bell, Highway Commissioner  
E. M. Bigelow and Auditor General  
Powell to test the validity of the new  
law providing for the payment for  
road income from automobile licenses  
to the state highway department for  
road improvements. The auditor  
general was not clear on the matter  
and favors a test case before paying  
over the thousands of dollars that  
have been accumulated from this  
source.

## CONSIDERATION OF RAILROAD PASS [MATTER POSTPONED]

The Pennsylvania public service  
commissioner in a statement has stated  
that it will not take up the question  
of railroad passes until after Janu-  
ary 1. The board says the act creat-  
ing it does not become effective un-  
til then. A committee of the Brother-  
hood of Locomotive Engineers  
sought information on the question.  
The question of passes is attracting  
a great deal of attention throughout  
the state. People who have studied  
the question thoroughly are of the  
opinion that under the new law fam-  
ilies of employees of railroads will be  
debarred from free transportation.  
This courtesy is now extended to  
them.

## MAN ACCOUNTABLE TO GOD ARE WORDS OF REV. ZAHNIZER

"God has a plan for every life and  
man will be held accountable for a  
failure to fulfill His highest purpose  
concerning him." These were the  
words of Rev. A. D. Zahniser at the  
Free Methodist tent services Friday  
night. He was speaking on the sub-  
ject "Accountability and Personal  
Responsibility," taking his text from  
Genesis 4:9. The speaker showed  
that man is accountable for sins and  
all their attendant results as well as  
all the sins of omission which far  
outnumber the real sins of transgres-  
sion.

Rev. Zahniser is attracting more  
attention each night and despite the  
inclement weather of Friday night  
the largest crowd of the week was in  
attendance. Special services will be  
held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock  
and the usual services in the evening.


## RAILROAD BORROWED STREET, SAYS ELCO; FORGOT TO RETURN IT

The case of the borough of Elco,  
against the Pennsylvania Railroad  
company, an action to compel the de-  
fendant company to replace a street  
at the south end of the borough  
which they are alleged to have ap-  
propriated, will be aired in court for  
the second time. This action was  
brought some time ago but when it  
reached the court it was non-suited  
because the attorneys for the mun-  
cipality had brought action against  
the Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charle-  
ston Railroad company when it should  
have been the Pennsylvania Railroad.  
The corrected papers have now  
been prepared and the case is again  
ready for presentation.

## MONONGAHELA TO JOIN PRESS SOCCER LEAGUE

A movement is on foot in Monon-  
gahela to organize a soccer football  
team to enter the Pittsburgh Press  
league this fall. This league is com-  
prised of teams from along the val-  
ley including Roscoe, Dunlevy, Don-  
ora Elizabeth and Curry and if Mon-  
ongahela enters it will make the sixth  
team. A meeting has been called for  
Monday night at which time the ad-  
visability of entering the league will  
be discussed. If this action is taken  
the team will be composed of the  
stars of last year's Gallatin team and  
a number of expert exponents of the  
old sport in Monongahela. It is said  
a fast aggregation can be put on the  
field.

### FOR BURGESS




To the Voters of Charleroi:

At the primary election on Tuesday, September 16, 1913, I will be a candidate for Burgess on the Democratic ticket. I have been a taxpayer in Charleroi and for Charleroi boroughs for fifteen years, and a consistent voter of the Democratic political faith. In casting your vote at the coming primary election, and give me a little consideration with the rest of the dates.

Respectfully,  
S. L. Woodward

### FOR TAX COLLECTOR



To the Voters of Charleroi:

At the primary election to be held on Tuesday, September 16, I will be a candidate on the Washington Party Ticket for the office of Tax Collector. As accountant I have had 10 years experience, and as auditor of borough finances for two years, I have become familiar with the work of tax collecting. I am a property holder and tax payer and alive to the interests of the borough. In casting your vote at the primary election, I ask your kindly consideration.

Respectfully  
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<b>FOR TAX COLLECTOR</b> <b>J. W. MATHIAS</b> REPUBLICAN Primaries, Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.	<b>FOR COUNCIL</b> <b>Charles S. Van Voorhis</b> REPUBLICAN Primaries Sept. 16, 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.



## Stop That Leakage

Benjamin Franklin says, "Beware of little expenses; a small leak will sink a ship."

If you will stop the all-dreaded leakage in your household transactions (the nickels and dimes that go for useless luxuries) and start a savings account with this bank, you'll soon find your domestic ship on the high sea of prosperity.

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## READ THE MAIL

## THEIR WEAPON OF DEFENSE

Mysterious Provision of Nature in the Case of Grasshoppers and Other Small Insects.

Everyone has heard of the grasshopper, by having the animal throw off a quantity of "tobacco-juice" from his mouth. Many insects throw off quantities of juice in this manner when they are attacked, some from the mouth, some from the "joints" on the abdomen, some from special points on the head, or other parts of the body. The juice thus ejected is generally some of the insect's blood, and its sudden discharge no doubt frequently causes the captor to loosen his hold, or to drop the prey altogether. Especially is this likely in the case of those insects that emit an acrid or a poisonous liquid, as for example the "Spanish fly" or cantharides beetle. It is not to be supposed that this discharge is in any sense a voluntary act on the part of the insect; it is a direct response to certain kinds of disturbance. In this respect the action may be compared to "death-feigning" in insects and in other animals. In some insects, in which the juice is discharged from the soft parts of the abdominal segments, the juice is thrown off upon suitable stimulation even after the animal's head has been removed. This curious behavior is not confined to any one family of insects, but has been observed among several species of the grasshopper family, among ants, wasps and hornets. In members of the moth and butterfly family, in beetles, in true bugs and even among certain flies. The blood does not come to the surface through wounds caused by the disturbance; the opening is produced by a sudden increase in blood pressure, at points that are especially thin and yielding. The first effect of the disturbance is to cause certain muscles to contract, thus increasing the pressure in the blood, leading to the bursting of the special ejection spots.

## ROUSSEAU'S VIEWS ON LOVE

Newly Discovered Letter Written to a Friend of the Philosopher Has Been Found.

A remarkable autograph letter of Jean Jacques Rousseau, showing in a vivid light his views on the subject of love, has just been made public in connection with the Rousseau centenary, and is considered by the critics to be an important addition to our knowledge of the great philosopher. The letter was written in 1759, the year in which "Nouvelle Heloise" was published, and is addressed to Deleyre, Comte de Croisoul's secretary, who had just become engaged to be married. It runs as follows:

"Dear Deleyre: You have made an idiotic mistake, for if you continue to love a promise is superfluous, while if you cease loving it is useless, and you may cause yourself the greatest embarrassment. But perhaps your promise has been paid for in spot cash. If so, I have nothing more to say. You have signed it with your blood. That is almost tragic. However, I do not know that the ink wherewith one writes makes any difference in the faith of the person who signs. I quite see that love makes children of philosophers, just as it does of the rest of us.

"Without being your friend, my dear Deleyre, I have a friendly feeling for you, and I am alarmed at your present condition. For heaven's sake, consider that love is only an illusion, and that one sees nothing as it really is when one loves."

It is pointed out as showing a curious trait in Rousseau's character that the letter was written at Montmorency, in the house in which Madame Depierre, one of his admirers, had just built for him.

## Insisted Silk Was Changeable.

One of the large Kansas City stores owes its success, in a great measure, to its policy of exchanging goods if returned in a salable condition. An exception is made when dress materials have been cut from the bolt.

One day recently a customer purchased ten yards of a two-toned silk, which the clerk assured her was the most fashionable fabric of the season. When she reached home with her purchase she decided, on reflection, that a woollen material would be more serviceable.

Accordingly, she returned to the store the next day and requested the exchange. The clerk explained that it was an impossibility, as the goods had been cut.

"Why, I bought this with the distinct understanding," remonstrated the woman, "that I could return it. Did you not tell me it was a changeable taffeta?"

The exchange was made.

## Once at Least.

Addison Mizner, the noted vivar, told, during a visit to Atlantic City, a story about a beautiful young widow.

"In her white bathing suit," he said, "with her blond hair and her supple grace, the widow is certainly not—ha, ha, ha—the widow is certainly not a misa."

"Two show girls discussed her rather enviously as she glided past them in her rolling chair the other day."

"She looks so demure," said the first, "and she is so rich and so beautiful—I wonder if she ever had a joy ride?"

"Oh, I'm sure she had," said the other show girl, "when she attended the repertory of her octogenarian millionaire husband."

## Be Honest.

Being honest is the greater part of achievement. When you know that you're doing the best within you, you can't be downed. Self-respect is an eternal life preserver—no matter how often circumstance wrecks you, you're bound to float back to solid ground again. When men strive for posts of trust, they must be somewhat post-like themselves and stand steady.—Herbert Kaufman.

## Upper Burma Home of Ruby.

While certain qualities of rubies are widely distributed and found in Burma, Siam, Ceylon, Afghanistan, India, Brazil, Australia and the United States, the countries of Burma, Siam and Ceylon are beyond question commercially the more important. Just as this is true there rests but little if any doubt that Upper Burma, the Mogok section, furnishes the finest and largest supply.

## Oil Drilling by Hand.

Oil exists in great quantities in Siam, but the methods of securing it are exceedingly crude. The wells are not more than sixty feet deep and are dug by hand. The oil secured is that which is baled from the bottom of the well by dibbers on long sticks of bamboo. The oil is sold to the natives who live within calling distance of the wells.

## Three Babes Walked Fifteen Miles.

Three children—Ida Farrow, eight years old, Willie Farrow, five, and Linda Benton, six, of Petersburg—walked 15½ miles to Whaploode Drove one recent Sunday to see their grandmother. The children, who undertook the journey unknown to their parents, arrived exhausted, and after being fed and rested were driven home again.—London Mail.

## Novelist Plays Safe.

Dickens and Balzac, living before novelists walked in fear of libel actions, took the name of their characters from above the shop doors of London and Paris. Mr. Frankfort Moore confesses to an equally easy, but safer method. He draws the names from tombstones. Dead men read no tales.

## Worth It.

"Prisoner at the bar," said the judge, "is there anything you wish to say before sentence is passed upon you?" "No, my lord, there is nothing I care to say; but if you'll clear away the tables and chairs for me to thrash my lawyer, you can give me a year or two extra."—Tit-Bits.

## That's the Question.

"Here is a story of a Chicago woman who says that present marriage laws make woman the slave of man," said the square-jawed matron as she looked up from the newspaper. "Why don't they enforce the law, then?" meekly asked Mr. Henpecke.—Buffalo Express.

## Wasn't Shocked.

"I saw you and your husband at the play last night, Mrs. Wedgecomb. How did you like it?" "I'm sorry we wasted our money on it. Several people told me I would be shocked, but I wasn't."—Chicago Record-Herald.

## Not for Him.

"Some day," remarked the nice old gentleman, "you may be president of the United States." "Mebbe," replied the son of the very big business man, "but if they want me they will have to raise the salary."

## Disconcerting.

"We formed a club of girls sworn to marry no man commanding less than \$10,000 a year." "And what broke it up?" "A young fellow came along who was earning \$30 a week."—Buffalo Commercial.

## Early Parentage Best.

Of children born of parents at the age of 41, one-third die during the first year, while the rate of mortality among those born of parents between the ages of 21 and 30 is less than 8 per cent.

## Nancy Is for Rent.

In the window of an uptown bird store there is a sign that reads: "Nancy, our Angora cat, rented out by the hour or day. Warranted to kill every rat or mouse in your home."

## Right Away.

Orator—"Now, then, is there anybody in the audience who would like to ask a question?" Voice—"Yes, sir; how soon is the band going to play?"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## Great Guessing.

A man who undertakes to tell exactly what he is going to do and how he is going to do it has to be a wonderfully good guesser.—Washington Star.

## High Need of Animals and Men.

God had need of irrational animals to make use of appearances, but of us to understand the use of appearances.—Epictetus.

## Clean-Up.

He—"If I call pa 'pop,' why can't I call me 'mop'?" She—"If you do, she'll wipe the floor with you."—Judge.

## ORDERED, AND WAS GBEYED

Natural Masculine Exercise of Authority Accorded by Small Boy's Playmate.

They were about six years old. They were climbing along an old stone wall. At least she was. He did not seem to see the combination very well. He stood on the sidewalk and watched her, making occasional abortive attempts himself to scale to the position she had attained, but unable to accomplish much. Finally she got down on the sidewalk and showed him how. A ledge ran along the wall. She helped him up on to this, showed him how to grasp an upper molding and then how to cling close, sliding slowly along with the inspiring feeling of accomplishing the impossible and the delightful sensation of danger in the process.

Having started him on the circuit of the wall, she climbed up to her former position. In a few moments he overtook her. "Get down," he commanded, "so I can pass." She protested. She had been up there first. He should get down and climb up again ahead of her if he wished to pass, or else he should not hurry so much. "Get down," was his only command. After some futile remonstrances she let herself drop down to the sidewalk. He passed quickly along without looking at her or so much as a thank you. She watched him a moment. Then she clambered up the wall again and meekly followed him. And the author, observing them from the window of her flat across the way, had an idea for her new novel.—New York Press.

## OLD MAGAZINE COMES BACK

Revival in Paris of Fashion Journal That Once Exerted a Remarkable Influence.

After being dead for 73 years, a paper which exercised extraordinary influence in the Paris of the past has come to life again. It is called Le Journal des Dames et des Modes and, after its long sleep, appears once more in the same form, the same type and on the same paper as in the fifth year of the republic.

The paper was founded by a certain Pierre de la Mesangere, who had been destined for the priesthood, but was turned out of the seminary, where he taught dogma, at the revolution. He came to Paris to try to earn his living, and abandoned theology to rule the mode by prescribing the cut of men's coats and the trimmings of women's hats.

The Journal des Dames continued to appear until 1835, and it calmly pursued its mission, regardless of political confusion and social upheaval. The empire is in ruins, the old monarchy takes its place, disappears, and is restored; Charles X. is dethroned and Louis Philippe takes the vacant throne. None of these bagatelles troubled the Journal des Dames. It had more serious affairs to deal with.

## Poetry and Music.

If I had to live my life again I would have made a rule to read some poetry and listen to some music at least once every week; for perhaps the parts of my brain now atrophied would thus have been kept active through use. The loss of these tastes is a loss of happiness, and may possibly be injurious to the intellect, and more probably to the moral character, by enfeebling the emotional part of our nature.—Charles Darwin.

## SAVED FROM OPERATIONS

Two Women Tell How They Escaped the Surgeon's Knife by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Swarthmore, Penn. — "For fifteen years I suffered untold agony, and for one period of nearly two years I had hemorrhages and the doctors told me I would have to undergo an operation, but I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and am in good health now. I am all over the Change of Life and cannot praise your Vegetable Compound too highly. Every woman should take it at that time. I recommend it to both old and young for female troubles." — Mrs. EMILY SUMMERSGILL, Swarthmore, Pa.

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We received a new line of silks this week and they make a beautiful showing. You can see just what you want for trimming for waists dresses, etc.

There's a complete variety of colors in messalines, poplins, crepe de chene, brocades and other silks.

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36 in. Messaline all colors \$1.00  
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40 in. Brocade Crepe \$1.25  
40 in. Pine Tree Poplin \$1.25  
42 in. Mandasian Crepe, in colors, Navy, Copenhagen and Brown... \$2.00  
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lightful three-act comedy, "The Chaperon," in which Maxine Elliott starred several seasons ago with conspicuous success. It was this play, in fact, that Miss Elliott chose to dedicate her beautiful little theatre in New York, which now bears her name.

### GRAND-PITTSBURG.

Twelve acts, each a star and each an international favorite, will comprise a feast of fun and flow of art in the way of high class vaudeville in the Grand Opera House during the week beginning Monday afternoon, Sept. 15th, twice a day. Harry Davis, who has already signified the young season by presenting two unrivalled bills, promises to eclipse both of them with his galaxy of attractions for the forthcoming week.

### DUQUESNE-PITTSBURG

For the week beginning Monday afternoon Sept. 15 and twice daily, at the Duquesne Theatre, Harry Davis announces a stupendous presentation of George M. Cohan's funniest and most successful musical comedy, "Forty-five Minutes From Broadway." Mr. Cohan has repeatedly tried to evolve another musical comedy that would equal this in popularity, but has never been able to do so.

### AMONG THE CHURCHES

#### First Presbyterian.

Sabbath school 9:45. Morning service 11 o'clock. At this service the regular offering will be taken for the fund of education and will be deposited in blue envelopes. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Evening services at 7:30. All are welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

#### Methodist Episcopal.

Corner Sixth street and Lincoln avenue. Church and Sunday school subject of sermon, "Church Unity." At 10:30. Epworth League at 6:45. Public worship at 7:45. Subject of sermon, "The City's Officials." On Sunday, September 21, the church will observe rally day and a full attendance is desired. Throughout the following week rally service will be held each evening with such well known men as the following to occupy the pulpit: Rev. Dr. Hall, the noted evangelist of Braddock, Rev. Dr. Mansell, Belle Vernon and Rev. Dr. Staples of McKeesport. Everybody welcome at the home-like church. Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor.

#### Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "The Immutability of Our Lord." Senior C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Favorite Verses in the Gospel." Leader—Austin Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon, "In Touch With the Infinite." At the morning service there will be baptism of children. Singers and those without a church home are invited to worship with us. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

#### Episcopal.

Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a. m. Subject of discourse, "The Duty of Reference to the Divine Will." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "Jacob's Dream." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

#### Baptist.

Bible school at 9:45. Public worship at 11. Young people's meeting at 7. Subject, "Christian Culture." Leader, Miss Alma Higgins. Visitors are cordially welcomed. Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

#### Christian.

Bible school at 9:15 a. m. Lord's supper and preaching at 10:45 a. m. Subject, "The Open Book." Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship at 8 p. m. Subject, "The Holy Communion." Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:45 o'clock. This is the people's church. All are welcome. Come. Rev. E. N. Duty, minister.

#### Lutheran.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11:00. Subject of discourse, "The Augsburg Confession." Luther league at 6:45. Vesper services with sermon at 7:30. The public is cordially invited to all services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, Pastor.

Mrs. V. P. Stewart will show a distinctive line of fall hats at her millinery opening, today, September 13th, 417 Fallowfield avenue, Charleroi, Pa. 52-42

**Delirious Weather Dope**  
The melancholy days have come  
The saddest sure for years;  
The weather man's a poor dumb brute  
He sighs now as to tears.

## Fall Millinery Opening September 17 and 18

You Are Cordially Invited to Attend

**SPIDELL'S**  
403 McKean Ave.

## WATER FAMINE SAID TO EXIST ALONG RAILROAD

Following the general order of the superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania Railroad that the water supply on that division be conserved because of a possible water famine, comes a similar order from Supt. A. G. Mitchell of the Monongahela division.

The reservoirs throughout that territory are running low also due to the drying up of many of the streams used as sources of supply. Engineers are likewise requested to fill tender tanks so that there will be no waste, and all pipes, faucets and valves will be inspected to insure against loss. Although there is low water period at the close of each summer, it is believed that danger of a famine this year is greater than usual.

## SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Fall millinery opening Sept. 17 and 18—Spidell's, 403 McKean avenue. 53-45

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson joined a party from Beavertown Friday and attended the Wheeling fair.

Mrs. Edward Callahan of East Liverpool, Ohio is visiting with friends in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Piper have returned from Atlantic City and Mrs. Piper left this morning for New Brighton.

J. H. McCoy has been transferred to Connellsville from Charleroi by the Adams Express company.

Robert Worthington has gone to Chambersburg, where he will spend his vacation.

All are invited to our millinery opening today. Mrs. V. P. Stewart, 417 Fallowfield avenue. 52-42

Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Duty have returned home from their vacation visit. Rev. Duty has been absent a month sojourning in Maryland along Chesapeake Bay.

Rod S. Moodey, a Republican candidate for council and Walter Byerly, manager of the Charleroi Lumber company, with their wives are at present spending their vacations automobiling along Lake Erie. They expect to proceed as far as Niagara Falls and then return by way of Chautauqua.

Miss Rose Betler and Miss Josephine Morgan are visiting Miss Betler's relatives over Sunday in Pittsburgh.

Miss Adeline Pau has returned to St. Joseph's academy, Seton Hall to resume her studies.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. James Bingham Small of Belle Vernon for the birth of a son, an eight pound son on Friday.

You are invited to attend Spidell's opening, Sept. 17 and 18. 53-45

**Read the Mail**

## CLERK-CARRIER TESTS LISTED FOR CHARLEROI

An examination for clerk-carrier for the Charleroi post office will be held here on Saturday September 27. The examination will be in spelling, arithmetic, letter writing, penmanship, copying from plain copy and reading addresses.

Applicants must have reached their eighteenth but not their forty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination. The age limits are waived, however, in the case of persons honorably discharged from the United States military or naval service by reason of disability resulting from wounds or diseases incurred in the line of duty. Eligibles resulting from the examination who were under 21 years of age on the date of the examination will not be certified for filling vacancies in the position of assistant postmaster.

Male applicants for the post office service must be at least 5 feet 4 inches in height in bare feet, and 125 pounds in weight without overcoat and hat.

All applications must be in the hands of the district secretary not later than the hour of closing on September 23. For application blank and "Instructions to Applicants," applicants are to address the secretary of the board of United States civil-service examiners at the post office at the place of employment or the place of examination named above, or the district secretary of the third district, Post Office building, Philadelphia.

## SURPRISE GIVEN FOR REV. STANLEY

Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Stanley were tendered a surprise by friends from Donora at their home on Fallowfield avenue Friday evening. At 8 o'clock the party, consisting of sixteen members of the Donora Baptist congregation and friends tramped in on Rev. and Mrs. Stanley. They brought with them a purse that had been made up for Rev. Stanley by the Donora congregation. A presentation speech was made by J. Kelly and Rev. Stanley responded.

## TODAY THE LAST FOR REGISTERING AT MONONGAHELA

Today is the last registration day in Monongahela to vote at the primaries next Tuesday. The third class city law provides for three registration days each year and unless the voters of the city appear and register as well as give their party preference they cannot vote next Tuesday. Owing to the several hot fights in the town, an extra effort has been put forth to get out a large vote and it is expected that at least 1500 votes will be cast in the town.

**Deeds Recorded.**  
September 1, 1913—Jerome E. Van Voorhis of Charleroi, to Martha E. Martin of Charleroi, lot in North Charleroi, fronting 70.1 feet on Fourth street; consideration \$300.  
August 30, 1913—T. D. Williams on, et ux, Charleroi, to S. C. Faddis, Waynesburg, lot in Charleroi, fronting 40 feet on Lookout avenue; consideration \$1.

## MEETING OF SEALERS IS ANNOUNCED

Sealers of weights and measures from fifty cities and counties of Pennsylvania, having such officials, have been summoned to meet at the capitol on September 23, for a convention for discussion of the new laws relative to their offices and duties and of the problems they encounter in enforcement.

James Sweeney, chief of the state bureau of standards, has announced that the speakers will be Louis A. Fisher, chief of the division of weights and measures of the federal government; Dr. Fritz Reckmann, superintendent of weights and measures of New York and William L. Waldron, superintendent in New Jersey.

It is expected that steps to insure uniform enforcement of the laws and to clarify some puzzling situations will be taken. There are many provisions in the new laws that will cause different conditions from last year, especially the new commodities act.

## BIGAMY HEAR AGAINST EVANS IS POSTPONED

Justice J. F. Carmichael of Washington has granted a continuance in the case of Thomas E. Evans, ranchman of Wagner, South Dakota, who is charged with bigamy. Evans was to have been given a hearing Friday, at 10 o'clock, but on account of the failure to be present of Julia Evans, of Greenwood, S. D., who claims to be Evans' lawful wife, and is an important witness, continuance was granted until next Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Chief of Police J. D. Bumgarner said that word had been received from Julia Evans that she was coming to Washington, with sufficient evidence that she is Evans' wife.

Evans came to Washington some weeks ago and after a whirlwind courtship married Anna Margaret Amos, an orphan girl. His arrest followed the receipt of word from Julia Evans that he had married her and later deserted her.

## MRS. L. F. HARDESTY DIES AT HOSPITAL; FUNERAL MONDAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Hardesty, aged 26, the wife of L. F. Hardesty, of Speers, died at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, Friday night at about 11:30 o'clock. She had been ill a week, following an operation. Funeral services will be held on Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the late home at Speers. Interment will be in the Monongahela cemetery.

Her husband and four children survive. The family lived at the corner of McKean avenue and Eighth street, moving from there a few weeks ago to Speers. One of the girls, a mere tot, is just recovering from injuries received some time ago at Eighth street when she was struck by an automobile.

## Classified Ads

**WANTED**—Lair stenographer. Must have good hand writing. Address 268 Mail office. 48-47

**WANTED**—A maid for general housework. Apply at 409 Lincoln avenue. 49-47

**WANTED**—Boys 14 years of age and over. Good wages. Short hours. Steady employment. Factory starts in full Friday, Sept. 12. Apply at factory, foot of Tenth street, Charleroi. Imperial Glass company. 49-44

**WANTED**—3 rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Call at City Grocery, Fifth and Washington avenue. 52-42

**WANTED**—Children's sewing, Mrs. Speers, Bell phone 43W, Charleroi. 52-45

**WANTED**—A girl for general housework. Apply 403 Lincoln avenue. 52-42

**WANTED**—For dancing class in Charleroi. Pianist, violinist, saxophonist, Winter season. 30 weekly engagements. J. V. Sexton, Sipe street, N. S., Pittsburg, Pa. 53-41

**FOR RENT**—Large, light airy front room. Suitable for one or two gentlemen, 519 Washington 50-13p

**FOR SALE**—Small farm at bargain to quick buyer. Charleroi Real Estate Agency, Ross Building, 411 McKean avenue. 46-41

**FOR SALE**—Household furniture at private sale Tuesday Sept. 16 between 1 and 2 o'clock. All household furniture to be sold. Mrs. D. F. Mathers, Lock No 4, Pa. 53-42p

**FOR SALE**—Motorcycle. Cheap for cash. First class shape. C. H. Hausenberg, Coyle Theatre. 53-42

**LOST**—Between Second street, Charleroi and Monessen, filled stamp book and merchants S. and H. pad. Finder will receive reward by returning to G. T. Barger. 52-41

### EXECUTIVE CONTROLLER TODD AT HOME TO VOTE

State Executive Controller Samuel C. Todd, of Harrisburg, is here with Mrs. Todd to visit over Sunday with friends. They will remain until after Monday having come home to vote.

For the season's latest in millinery, opening Sept. 17 and 18, 403 McKean Ave.

## AMONG THE THEATRES

### THE STAR—CHARLEROI.

Laugh Day, which happened to be Wednesday at the Star theatre was rich in comedies that made up a most spicy program and added to the exceptionally good program of this week. Manager Tom B. Cowan on this date had as his leading features "Tell Tale Light," "Foreign Spy" by the American Film company and "The Wager." On Thursday "The Banishes" a Kaybee drama in two reels telling a story of patriotism was featured. Also on Thursday Mutual Weekly, No. 28, showing illustrations of occurrences that the general public reads about every day was an attractive film. Earlier in the week on Tuesday, the Thanhouser picture "Crepe Bonnet," "The Toy" a Majestic film and "Train on Fire" a Lux film were among the good pictures. On Saturday "Truth in the Wilderness" is scheduled. Manager Tom B. Cowan who formerly operated the Star, having just taken over the popular picture house is conducting it after his usual up-to-the-minute method and it has been noticeable that the crowds have been growing. He carefully selects his picture service. From this time forth he will conduct the Star together with his theatres in Monongahela, Donora and Monessen. Independent film service is used with most interesting pictures as the result.

### LYRIC—CHARLEROI

"Back to the Primitive," a Lubin drama, "The Rise and Fall of McDoo," a Biography comedy and "The Missionary's Triumph" a Pathe drama, are the three features the Lyric theatre will show today. All the pictures are virtually headliners and taken as a whole they constitute a remarkably good program.

### ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

On Monday evening, Sept. 15th, there will be revealed at the Alvin Theatre, Pittsburg, a play that has marked a new field of endeavor in theatricals. It is "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which is being sent on tour this season by Winthrop Ames who produced it in his dainty "Little Theatre," West Forty-fourth street, New York, last winter where it delighted the children, whose amusement Mr. Ames had in mind when presenting it. Philadelphia is the only city outside of Manhattan, that has so far been privileged to witness this singularly charming play.

### PITT—PITTSBURG.

Beginning next Monday afternoon, during the week of September 15, the Pitt Players will present at the Pitt theatre in Pittsburg for the first time in stock, Marion Fairfax's de-